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OF THE

City of Belfast

FOR THE

Municipal Year 1913-14

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MAYOR'S ADDRESS

Gentlemen of the City Council:

The administration of the business affairs of the city for the ensuing year has been entrusted to us and we now assume the duties of our respective offices. We must at all times bear in mind that we are the servants and agents of the people, and that it is our duty to transact their business in a businesslike way, giving to it the same careful consideration that prudent men give to their own affairs.

By the city charter, the executive powers of the city generally, and the administration of police, with all the powers of selectmen of towns, are vested in the mayor and aldermen as a board of municipal officers. All other powers vested by law in the inhabitants of towns, and all powers granted by the city charter, are vested in the mayor and alderman and common council of the city to be exercised by concurrent vote.

The charter provides that the mayor shall from time to time communicate to both boards such information, and recommend such measures, as the business and interests of the city may in his opinion require, and that he shall preside in the board of aldermen and in joint meetings of the two boards, but shall have only a casting vote.

I desire to call your attention to some matters which I deem to be of special importance at this time, and from time to time hereafter shall recommend such measures as, in my opinion, the interests of the city may require.

FINANCES.

We are unfortunate in taking control of the city's affairs at a time when the treasury is empty and the available resources insufficient to pay the current expenses until the taxes assessed this year are collectible. It will therefore be necessary to procure a temporary loan to be paid from this year's taxes. In order to make this loan

as small as possible I suggest that the expenditures in every department be reduced to a minimum until the taxes for this year become available, and that the collectors of years previous to 1913 be required to complete their collections and make full settlement with the city treasurer within such time as the city council may order.

The committees should make careful investigation of the condition and needs of their several departments as a basis for making the annual appropriations.

While the appropriations should be sufficient for the reasonable requirements of every department, I wish to emphasize the necessity of rigid economy in the use of the peoples money to the end that they may receive full value for every dollar expended.

The purposes for which municipalities may raise money by taxation are fixed by statute and the funds of the city cannot lawfully be used for any other purpose.

SCHOOL BUILDINGS

The necessity of a modern school building to take the place of the two buildings on the School Common has long been recognized but the constitutional limitation of indebtedness has prevented the city from borrowing money, and it would be too great a burden upon the taxpayers to raise the necessary funds by taxation within the time required for the construction of the building.

A plan has been devised, which, if carried into effect, will result in the construction of this building, furnished and ready for occupancy, at a cost not exceeding \$75,000, by the Belfast Public Building Company, incorporated, during the present year, and its lease to the city upon terms by which the city will own the furnished building at the expiration of twenty-five years,

A contract between the city and the company for supplying "a proper furnished school building as proposed", has been authorized by the city council and the mayor has been instructed to execute the same, and to convey the school common to said Belfast Public Building Company, in accordance with a proposition presented to the City Government by the president of the Building Company. A vote taken at the election last Monday shows 673 votes in favor of this proposition and 131 opposed.

This plan seems to offer the only chance of securing this much

needed building in the near future, and it is hoped that the City Council, while safeguarding the interests of the city as far as possible will co-operate with the Building Company in the accomplishment of this purpose.

The North Primary school building was totally destroyed by fire during the past winter and temporary quarters for continuing the school have been provided at the city rooms in Memorial Building. The question of providing a suitable building to take the place of the one destroyed by fire should receive your early attention.

The trustee under the will of Mrs. Lena P. Frederick, deceased, expects to be able to dispose of the "Hayford Block" and adjacent property and use the proceeds for the purpose of building a public school house in the city, as provided by said will, during the coming year. By the terms of the will, the trustee and a committee to be appointed by the City Government are to decide on the location and plans of said building and superintend the construction thereof. Your attention will again be called to this matter when the time arrives for appointment of the committee.

HIGHWAYS

An act of the legislature which took effect in July last makes a radical change in the laws relating to the construction and maintenance of highways.

Under this act an interlocking system of state highways has been laid out to be constructed by the State from the proceeds of a State bond issue authorized by an amendment to the constitution adopted by vote of the people at the September election 1912.

This act also provides that municipal officers shall designate such practicable systems of public ways within their jurisdiction as will best serve outlying communities, connect adjoining towns and villages, and facilitate travel in reaching markets, railroad connections, and state roads, due consideration being given to cost as well as distance and volume of travel. When a suitable description of each such way has been presented to, and approved by, the State highway commission it becomes an established and known state aid highway.

The State highway commission appointed under this act has charge of the construction and maintenance of both state and state

aid highways. Municipalities having the assessed valuation of Belfast may raise for the building or permanent improvement of one of its state aid highways, not exceeding \$1,333 per year and the state highway commission, from the state fund for state aid construction, will apportion for the same purpose seventy-five cents for every dollar raised by the city.

This statute provides that on or before the thirty-first day of December in the year nineteen hundred and thirteen and thereafter annually, between the fifteenth day of July and the fifteenth day of August in each year, municipal officers shall prepare and file with the state highway commission suggestions for the improvement, during the next calendar year, of state aid highways, accompanied by plans so far as practicable setting forth the location of the highway and the nature of the improvement desired, and that the commission shall examine and report thereon with its recommendations to such municipal officers on or before the twentieth day of February following.

The statute further provides that municipalities failing to comply with these provisions shall not be entitled to state aid for the year when such State aid otherwise would be available.

The designation of State aid highways by the municipal officers of this city was made January 6, 1914, but I can find no evidence that the ways designated have been approved and accepted by the State highway commission, or that suggestions for improvement during the coming year have been submitted to the State highway commission, or examined and reported upon by them, so I am in doubt as to whether the State aid will be available for us this year. If we find that it is available I would recommend that an appropriation of the full amount permitted by law be made for the building and permanent improvement of State aid highways, otherwise there will be no object in making any special appropriation for this purpose.

The law requires that all highways, town ways and streets shall be kept in repair so as to be safe and convenient for travelers with horses, teams and carriages, and it is our duty to see that all of our public roads are put in this condition, before expending large sums in the costly construction of short sections.

A system of accounting should be adopted in the highway department by which a voucher will be received by the city direct from every person performing labor or furnishing material for that department.

WATER SERVICE.

The contract with the Belfast Water Company requires that company to furnish water which shall at all times be pure and wholesome. and to force water into a reservoir or standpipe located upon an elevation sufficient to give a static head that shall throw streams about forty feet high on Congress street.

By the terms of this contract rental of the original hydrants, fifty in number, ceased on November 30, 1907, but additional hydrants which then numbered thirteen and now number seventeen are still subject to rental.

The city has paid no hydrant rental which has accrued since October 1, 1907, claiming that the water company is not entitled to rental because it has failed to furnish water of the quality required by the contract, and because the static head or pressure has not been up to the contract requirement.

The accrued rental at the contract prices now amounts to a little more than four thousand dollars.

This matter should be thoroughly investigated and such action taken as the best interests of the city require.

LITIGATION.

The City Solicitor reports only one suit now pending in which the city is interested, viz: the suit of Richard P. Jenks, Receiver of the Belfast Gas and Electric Company, vs. The City of Belfast, to recover for lights furnished in August and September, 1909, now referred to Justice Warren C. Philbrook. This case has been in court several years and should be thoroughly investigated and tried or adjusted by compromise as may appear to be for the best interest of the city.

From other sources I learn that a suit in equity brought by my predecessor in the name of the city against the Board of Aldermen and Common Council to enjoin them from installing lights on certain streets and highways under Order No. 85, passed last year, vetoed

by the mayor, and passed over his veto, is now pending in the Supreme Judicial Court. In this suit a restraining order was issued as prayed for and the case continued for hearing until March 24th, instant. An expression of the wishes of the people registered at the polls last Monday resulted in a vote of 320 in favor of, and 414 opposed to, extending the Street Lighting System as called for in Order No. 85. A majority of 94 against the extension. I assume that the members of the present city council will not care to litigate the question of their right to carry into effect this order of the last city council, and in order to avoid further expense and legal complications, I recommend that the parties agree that a permanent injunction may be granted, without prejudice, to the right of the city council to extend the lighting system on the streets and highways named in the bill by further order. This will leave it the same as though no order had been passed last year.

The annual reports of the heads of the departments will be referred to the appropriate committees for their consideration, and it is expected that the members of committees will be diligent and thorough in their investigation of the condition and requirements of their several departments, and prompt to act as occasion may require.

At this time I wish to impress upon you the importance of your presence at every regular meeting of the city council during the year. Let no meeting be adjourned for lack of a quorum.

And now in closing permit me to express the pleasure I anticipate in being associated with you in the administration of our municipal affairs during the coming year. I sincerely desire and confidently expect that in serving the city to the best of our ability we will be tolerant of the opinions and judgments of each other, and that each one will grant to his associate the same right to his opinion and judgment that he claims for himself.

ROBERT F. DUNTON

March 16, 1914.

TREASURER'S REPORT

Belfast, Maine, March 2, 1914.

To the City Council,
Gentlemen:

As required by the City Charter, I herewith submit my annual report as City Treasurer, showing the receipts and payments for the municipal year ending this day, for schools, paupers, highways, fire department, free text books, interest on debt and for general municipal purposes; also for payment of State and county taxes, and the condition of the trust funds. All of which is respectfully submitted for your approval.

City of Belfast, in account with Elbridge S. Pitcher
City Treasurer.

RECEIPTS.

| | |
|---|-------------|
| Cash on hand March 4, 1913..... | \$ 1 402 63 |
| Rec'd from F. W. Brown, Collector, 1913..... | 55 050 00 |
| F. W. Brown, Collector, 1912..... | 3 600 00 |
| F. W. Brown, Collector. 1911..... | 500 00 |
| Dividends of B. & M. L. R. R..... | 18 611 36 |
| Supt. of Schools, tuition..... | 367 95 |
| State of Maine, State Pensions..... | 3 696 00 |
| State of Maine, Railroad and Telegraph tax. | 5 598 05 |
| State of Maine, refunded on dog licenses, 1912 | 226 64 |
| State of Maine, Bank and mill tax..... | 4 317 43 |
| State of Maine, Common School Fund.... | 4 716 14 |
| State of Maine, Free High School..... | 500 00 |
| State of Maine, Belfast Free Library | 125 00 |

| | | |
|--|--------------------|--------|
| State of Maine, State Pauper reimbursements | 151 | 62 |
| State of Maine, Burial of Soldiers..... | 280 | 00 |
| A. D. Fuller Co., use of roller and labor... | 99 | 75 |
| Sale of Hay, City Park..... | 10 | 00 |
| Sale of Crushed Rock..... | 30 | 15 |
| C. W. Proctor, Typewriter Account..... | 32 | 50 |
| City Marshal, Police Fees..... | 49 | 90 |
| Sale of Cemetery lots..... | 425 | 00 |
| Cooper & Co., Tarvia. | 10 | 00 |
| Insurance on No. Primary School Building. | 750 | 00 |
| W. W. Blazo, Highway Account..... | 12 | 45 |
| Overseers of Poor, Towns of Bucksport, Knox and Searsport | 127 | 35 |
| City Clerk, Dog licenses, 1913..... | 303 | 00 |
| City Clerk, Circus Licenses | 20 | 00 |
| Messrs. Howes, Clark and Cooper, C. R. Sidewalks | 50 | 18 |
| Belfast Water Co., opening crushed rock Streets..... | 8 | 24 |
| T. H. Marshall Post G. A. R., Heating... | 50 | 00 |
| Town of Northport, Fire Department.... | 31 | 00 |
| City Solicitor, Damage to Bridge..... | 75 | 00 |
| Librarian, cards and fines..... | 161 | 68 |
| Street Commissioner, Street Department.. | 4 | 00 |
| Tax Deeds | 25 | 00 |
| Interest on Bank balances..... | 34 | 30 |
| State of Maine, Auto road..... | 1 | 048 83 |
| Sewer Assessments..... | 310 | 00 |
| Waldo Trust Co., Temporary Loan..... | 1 | 800 00 |
| City National Bank, Temporary Loan.... | 8 | 000 00 |
| Wilson Fund, income..... | 1 | 010 00 |
| Hazeltine Fund, income..... | 438 | 55 |
| Otis Fund, income..... | 157 | 56 |
| Library Fund, income..... | 151 | 79 |
| McClintock Fund, income..... | 240 | 00 |
| Perpetual Care Income, Care of lots..... | 390 | 75 |
| | <hr/> \$114 999 80 | |

EXPENDITURES

| | | | | |
|--|----|----|--------------|---------------|
| Paid from Contingent Appropriation..... | \$ | 15 | 849 | 82 |
| Highways, Bridges and Sidewalks Appn.. | | 13 | 123 | 87 |
| Crushed Rock Sidewalks..... | | 3 | 379 | 57 |
| City Park | | | 184 | 58 |
| Fire Department..... | | 2 | 747 | 28 |
| Support of Poor..... | | 2 | 150 | 00 |
| Sewers..... | | | 539 | 21 |
| General School Purposes..... | | 13 | 453 | 93 |
| School Contingent..... | | | 597 | 11 |
| Repairs and Insurance..... | | | 468 | 41 |
| Free Text Books and Supplies..... | | 1 | 494 | 29 |
| Free High School..... | | 3 | 228 | 87 |
| Special Appropriation for Hose House.... | | | 64 | 05 |
| State Roads..... | | 3 | 294 | 98 |
| Improving Robbins road..... | | | 600 | 00 |
| Spec. Appropriation for Hose Wagon..... | | | 247 | 56 |
| Bonded Interest account..... | | 11 | 780 | 00 |
| Belfast Free Library..... | | 1 | 866 | 34 |
| Interest on temporary loans and overdrafts. | | | 140 | 90 |
| Auto Road..... | | 1 | 062 | 11 |
| Treas. Belfast Home for Aged Women and Childrens Aid Society, McClintock Fund | | | 240 | 00 |
| Cemeteries | | | 694 | 18 |
| County Tax..... | | 5 | 755 | 92 |
| State Tax..... | | 15 | 570 | 58 |
| State Pensions..... | | 3 | 702 | 00 |
| Waldo Trust Co., Temporary Loan..... | | 1 | 800 | 00 |
| City National Bank, Temporary Loan..... | | 8 | 000 | 00 |
| | | | <u>\$112</u> | <u>035 56</u> |
| Current Cash on Hand March 2, 1914..... | | 2 | 964 | 24 |

APPROPRIATIONS.

CONTINGENT EXPENSES AND SALARIES.

| | | |
|---|------------|-------------|
| Appropriation..... | \$9 000 00 | |
| Transferred to Fire Department..... | \$225 00 | |
| Transferred to special appropriation for hose wagon..... | 23 10 | |
| Transferred to special appropriation for hose house..... | 50 00 | 298 10 |
| | | <hr/> |
| | | \$8 701 90 |
| Miscellaneous Receipts..... | 7 491 06 | |
| | | <hr/> |
| | | \$16 192 96 |
| Expended..... | 17 922 29 | |
| | | <hr/> |
| Overdrawn | \$1 729 33 | |

HIGHWAYS, BRIDGES AND SIDEWALKS.

| | | |
|------------------------------|------------|----------|
| Appropriation..... | \$7 000 00 | |
| Miscellaneous Receipts | 239 59 | |
| | | <hr/> |
| | | 7 239 59 |
| Expended..... | 13 699 44 | |
| | | <hr/> |
| Overdrawn | 6 459 85 | |

CRUSHED ROCK SIDEWALK.

| | | |
|------------------------------|------------|------------|
| Appropriation..... | \$3 000 00 | |
| Miscellaneous Receipts | 50 18 | |
| | | <hr/> |
| | | \$3 050 18 |
| Expended..... | 3 379 57 | |
| | | <hr/> |
| Overdrawn | \$329 39 | |

IMPROVING ROBBINS ROAD.

| | | |
|--------------------|----------|-------|
| Appropriation..... | \$500 00 | |
| Expended..... | 600 00 | |
| | | <hr/> |
| Overdrawn | \$100 00 | |

CITY OF BELFAST

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CITY PARK.

| | |
|---------------------|---------------|
| Appropriation | \$300 00 |
| Expended | <u>191 58</u> |
| Unexpended | \$108 42 |

FIRE DEPARTMENT.

| | |
|-----------------------------------|-----------------|
| Appropriation | \$3 000 00 |
| Miscellaneous Receipts | 31 00 |
| Transferred from Contingent | <u>225 00</u> |
| | \$3 256 00 |
| Expended | <u>3 251 28</u> |
| Unexpended | \$4 72 |

STATE ROADS.

| | |
|-------------------------------------|-----------------|
| 1912 Appropriation, held over | \$1 100 00 |
| Appropriation | 1 100 00 |
| Due from State | <u>1 400 00</u> |
| | \$3 600 00 |
| Expended | <u>3 294 98</u> |
| Unexpended | \$305 02 |

SEWERS.

| | |
|---------------------|---------------|
| Appropriation | \$500 00 |
| Expended | <u>539 21</u> |
| Overdrawn | \$39 21 |

SPECIAL APPROPRIATION FOR HOSE WAGON.

| | |
|---|---------------|
| Expended | \$247 56 |
| Of which transferred to Fire Dept | \$224 46 |
| transferred to Contingent | <u>23 10</u> |
| | <u>247 56</u> |

TREASURER'S REPORT

SUPPORT OF POOR.

| | |
|---------------------|----------------|
| Appropriation | \$2 200 00 |
| Expended | 2 150 00 |
| Unexpended .. | <u>\$50 00</u> |

SPECIAL APPROPRIATION FOR HOSE HOUSE.

| | |
|---|----------------|
| Transferred from Contingent Appropriation | \$50 00 |
| Expended | 64 05 |
| Overdrawn | <u>\$14 05</u> |

BONDED INTEREST.

| | |
|---------------------------------------|--------------------|
| Appropriation | \$5 000 00 |
| Rec'd dividends B. & M. L. R. R. | 18 611 36 |
| | <u>\$23 611 36</u> |
| Expended | 11 780 00 |
| Reserve for Coupons | 11 780 00 |
| Unexpended | <u>\$ 51 36</u> |

DISCOUNT ON TAXES.

| | |
|---------------------|------------------|
| Appropriation | \$1 200 00 |
| Expended | 1 065 91 |
| Unexpended | <u>\$ 134 09</u> |

FREE HIGH SCHOOL.

| | |
|----------------------------|-------------------|
| Appropriation | \$2 400 00 |
| Received from State | 500 00 |
| " " Tuition | 318 75 |
| " " C. W. Proctor | 32 50 |
| | <u>\$3 251 25</u> |
| Expended | 3 228 87 |
| Unexpended | <u>\$ 22 38</u> |

GENERAL SCHOOL PURPOSES.

| | |
|---|--------------|
| Appropriation | \$4 650 00 |
| Received from School and Mill fund..... | 4 317 43 |
| “ “ Common School fund..... | 4 716 14 |
| “ “ Tuition..... | 49 20 |
| | <hr/> |
| | \$ 13 732 77 |
| Expended..... | 13 732 62 |
| | <hr/> |
| Unexpended..... | 15 |

SCHOOL CONTINGENT.

| | |
|--------------------|-----------|
| Appropriation..... | \$ 700 00 |
| Expended..... | 697 02 |
| | <hr/> |
| Unexpended..... | \$ 2 98 |

REPAIRS AND INSURANCE

| | |
|--------------------|-----------|
| Appropriation..... | \$ 500 00 |
| Expended..... | 499 99 |
| | <hr/> |
| Unexpended..... | 01 |

FREE TEXT BOOKS AND SUPPLIES

| | |
|--------------------|-------------|
| Appropriation..... | \$ 1 500 00 |
| Expended..... | 1 499 54 |
| | <hr/> |
| Unexpended..... | 46 |

STATE TAX

| | |
|--------------------|--------------|
| Appropriation..... | \$ 15 570 58 |
| Expended..... | 15 570 58 |

COUNTY TAX

| | |
|--------------------|-------------|
| Appropriation..... | \$ 5 755 92 |
| Expended..... | 5 755 92 |

TREASURER'S REPORT

OVERLAY

| | | | | |
|---------------------|----|---|-----|-------|
| Appropriation | \$ | 1 | 534 | 72 |
| Abatements | | 1 | 534 | 60 |
| | | | | <hr/> |
| Unexpended | | | | 12 |

RECAPITULATION

| | | | | |
|------------------------|-----|-----|-------|----------|
| Total Overdrafts | \$8 | 671 | 83 | |
| Total Unexpended | | | 679 | 71 |
| Net Overdrafts | | | 7 | 992 12 |
| | | | <hr/> | |
| | \$8 | 671 | 83 | 8 671 83 |

TRUST FUNDS, MARCH 2, 1914

Nathanial Wilson Fund:

| | |
|---------------------------------------|-----------|
| 80 Shares B. & M. R. R. stock, common | 8 000 00 |
| 22 Memorial Hall Bonds | 22 000 00 |
| 1 Clyde Steamship Co. Bond | 914 36 |

Paul R. Hazeltine Library Fund:

| | |
|---------------------------------------|----------|
| 2 Clyde Steamship Co. Bonds | 2 085 64 |
| 4 Lewiston and Auburn Elec. Co. Bonds | 4 000 00 |
| 2 El Reno. Oklahoma Bonds | 2 000 00 |
| Deposited in City National Bank | 500 00 |
| Deposited in Belfast Savings Bank | 59 36 |

Geo. W. Field Library Fund:

Deposited in Belfast Savings Bank

Albert Boyd Otis Library Fund:

Deposited in Belfast Savings Bank

Cemetery Perpetual Ctre Fund:

Deposited in Belfast Savings Bank

McClintock Fund:

Home for aged Women and

Children's Aid Society of Maine

Deposited in City National Bank Savings Department

| On hand March 4, 1913 | Income | Withdrawn | On hand March 2, 1914 |
|--------------------------|----------|-----------|--------------------------|
| \$30 914 36 | | | \$30 914 36 |
| 8 645 00 | | | 8 645 00 |
| 2 000 00 | | | 2 000 00 |
| 3 000 00 | | | 3 000 00 |
| 9 860 76 | \$950 00 | | 10 810 76 |
| 6 000 00 | | | 6 000 00 |

CITY OF BELFAST

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|--|-------------------------------|---|---|---|
| Wilson Fund Income Account | | | | |
| Hazeltine Fund Income Account | | | | |
| Field Fund Income Account | Dept. in Belfast Savings Bank | | | |
| Otis Fund Income Account | “ | “ | “ | “ |
| Library Income Account | “ | “ | “ | “ |
| Cemetery Perpetual Care Income Account | | | “ | “ |
| McClintock Fund Income Account | | | | |

| | | | |
|------------|------------|------------|---------------|
| | \$1 010 00 | \$1 010 00 | |
| | 438 55 | 438 55 | |
| \$1 025 61 | 122 22 | | \$1 147 83 |
| 113 37 | 125 76 | 157 56 | 81 57 |
| 145 93 | 5 86 | 151 79 | |
| 327 87 | 421 26 | 390 75 | 358 38 |
| | | | <u>358 38</u> |
| | | | \$62 957 90 |

TRIAL BALANCE. CITY OF BELFAST

March 2, 1914

RESOURCES

| | | | | |
|--|----------------|-----|-------|---------------------|
| Real Estate,- Park property; Land and Buildings..... | \$ | 5 | 945 | 00 |
| Tax Deeds | | | 865 | 82 |
| Machinery, tools, etc | | 6 | 518 | 00 |
| Stone | | | 600 | 00 |
| City Team..... | | 1 | 000 | 00 |
| E. M. Farnsworth & Co., balance refunding..... | | | 19 | 45 |
| B. & M. L. R. R. STOCK. | | | | |
| 3604 Shares Common | | | | |
| 1396 Shares Preferred | Par value..... | 500 | 000 | 00 |
| Sewer Assessments, Unpaid..... | | | 425 | 50 |
| Auto Road, Due from State of Maine..... | | | 13 | 28 |
| Belfast Free Library, balance..... | | | 72 | 20 |
| State Pensions, due from State of Maine..... | | | 6 | 00 |
| State of Maine, acct. of State Road..... | | | 1,400 | 00 |
| Due from: | | | | |
| F. W. Brown, Collector for 1913..... | | 7 | 676 | 61 |
| F. W. Brown, Collector for 1912..... | | 2 | 387 | 61 |
| F. W. Brown, Collector for 1911..... | | 2 | 824 | 30 |
| Wayland Knowlton, Collector for 1910.. | | 1 | 387 | 48 |
| C. H. Sargent, Collector for 1909..... | | | 175 | 01 |
| C. H. Sargent, Collector for 1908..... | | | 77 | 46 |
| E. S. Pitcher, Treasurer: | | | | |
| Trust Funds..... | \$62 | 957 | 90 | |
| Current Cash..... | 2 | 964 | 24 | 65 922 14 |
| Assets and Liabilities Account..... | | 72 | 979 | 94 |
| | | | | <u>\$670 295 80</u> |

LIABILITIES

| | | |
|--------------------------------|-----------|--------|
| Bonds | \$590,000 | 00 |
| Cemeteries | 118 | 70 |
| February Roll of Accounts..... | 3 | 419 20 |

| | |
|------------------------------|-----------|
| Bonded Interest..... | 11 780 00 |
| Reserve for Water Bills..... | 2 020 00 |

Trust Funds,-

| | |
|----------------------------|-------------|
| Nathaniel Wilson Fund..... | \$30 914 36 |
| P. R. Hazeltine Fund..... | 8 645 00 |
| Geo. W. Field Fund..... | 2 000 00 |
| Albert Boyd Otis Fund..... | 3 000 00 |
| Cemetery Perp. Care Fund. | 10 810 76 |
| McClintock Fund..... | 6 000 00 |
| Otis Fund, Income Acct.... | 81 57 |
| Field Fund, Income Acct... | 1 147 83 |
| Perp. Care, Income Acct... | 358 38 |

\$62 957 90

\$670 295 80

E. S. PITCHER,

Treasurer, City of Belfast

Report of Finance Committee

Belfast, Maine, March 6, 1914

We have examined the books and accounts of the City Treasurer and find the same are correctly stated, correctly added, and vouchers have been produced to verify the charges, leaving a current cash balance in the treasury of two thousand nine hundred sixty four dollars and twenty four cents.

There are outstanding checks to the amount of sixteen hundred twenty four dollars and twenty four cents.

There is deposited in the City National Bank to pay coupons due Aug. 15th and earlier dates outstanding, four hundred eighty three dollars.

We find all drafts paid have been properly cancelled.

We find the trust funds to be as reported by the treasurer.

We have destroyed interest coupons from twenty-two Memorial Hall bonds due Sept. 1913 and March 1914 to the amount of eight hundred eighty dollars, from Registered 4s due Aug. 1912, Feb. 1913 and Aug. 1913 to the amount of three thousand two hundred and eighty dollars.

We have destroyed cancelled bond No. 113 for one thousand dollars, of issue of Nov. 1st 1909 for which there were issued Nos. 113 and 114 for five hundred dollars each.

We have examined coupons account of City Bonds, registered same on coupon books prepared for that purpose and have destroyed

coupons that have been paid to the amount of nine thousand one hundred and eighty dollars, as follows:—

| | | | |
|----------------------|----|-----|--------|
| Due August 1912..... | \$ | 20 | 00 |
| February 1913 | | 600 | 00 |
| May 1913 | | 2 | 260 00 |
| August 1913..... | | 6 | 300 00 |
| | | | <hr/> |
| | | 9 | 180 00 |

ROSCOE BLACK

E. A. WADSWORTH

ADRIAN C. TUTTLE

Committee on Finance

Auditor's Report

To the Mayor and Council of the City of Belfast, Maine;—
Gentlemen:—

I herewith present my annual report as Auditor of the City of Belfast for the year ending March 3rd, 1914.

CONTINGENT

| | |
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| Abbott, G. G., Salary, Milk Inspector, 1912.....\$ | 50 00 |
| Abbott, G. G. Salary, Milk Inspector, 1913..... | 50 00 |
| Adams, Cushing & Foster, Ward Books, City Clerk.. | 28 50 |
| American Express Co. Transportation Chgs., Auditor and Treasurer..... | 1 80 |
| American Surety Co. Bond of City Treasurer | 37 50 |
| Ames, Juliette, Maintaining Watering Tub | 5 00 |
| Arnold, W. H. Hay and Straw, City Team | 5 38 |
| Babb, Edward E. & Co. Flags for school Houses | 24 90 |
| Baker Vawter Co. Supplies, Treasurer and Auditor ... | 34 98 |
| Barret Manufacturing Co. Tarvia, P. O. Square 1912. | 157 77 |
| Beach, A. I. Burial of Stray Dog..... | 1 50 |
| Beals, Walter, Driver, City Team,..... | 195 57 |
| Bean, Leander, Maintaining Watering Tub..... | 5 00 |
| Beckwith, A. Labor, City Building..... | 2 65 |
| Belfast Livery Co. Housing and Bedding of City Team | 169 36 |
| Bennett, H. M. Freight Paid on Street Sprinkler..... | 14 00 |
| Bennett, H. M. Inspection of Brown Tail Moth Work.. | 20 55 |
| Black H. M. Supplies, Paupers..... | 1 50 |
| Braley, J. E. Election Clerk..... | 2 00 |
| Bray, W. H. Board of Registration..... | 24 00 |
| Brier, H. O. Election Clerk.. .. | 2 00 |

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| Bucklin, H. L. Labor on Election Booths..... | 6 35 |
| Burdin, A. W. Labor, City Building..... | 1 00 |
| Burdin, A. W. Election Clerk..... | 6 00 |
| Burgess, H. O. Repairs on Equipment of City Team... | 1 50 |
| Burroughes Adding Machine Co. Adding Machine... | 196 00 |
| Burroughes, Adding Machine Co. Supplies..... | 1 03 |
| Carle & Jones, Supplies City Building..... | 6 45 |
| Clark, Frank, hay, City Team..... | 11 89 |
| Clark, F. E. Election Clerk..... | 6 00 |
| Clark, Henry D. Salary, Janitor, City Building..... | 135 00 |
| Clark, Henry D. Extras, City Builing..... | 30 20 |
| Clements, Dexter, Salary Inspector of Buildings..... | 20 00 |
| Clifford, W. J. Use of Hall and Labor, Elections..... | 11 50 |
| Clough, I. T. Salary Assistant Engineer, Fire Dept.... | 35 00 |
| Colburn, Augustine, Board of Registration. | 24 00 |
| Colburn, Augustine, Supplies, State Pauper..... | 1 50 |
| Colcord, Mrs. L. H. Appropriation for Tombstone | 50 00 |
| Collins, C. M. Election Clerk..... | 2 00 |
| Collins, R. S. Election Clerk..... | 2 00 |
| Colson, A. P. Election Clerk..... | 2 00 |
| Consumers Fuel Co. Fuel, Paupers and State Paupers.. | 22 55 |
| Consumers Fuel Co. Fuel, Small Pox..... | 4 80 |
| Consumers Fuel Co. Fuel, City Building..... | 436 05 |
| Cook, E. L. Salary Assistant Engineer Fire Deptment.. | 35 00 |
| Coombs, C. R. Burial, Danforth..... | 30 00 |
| Coombs, C. R. Burial, Soldiers..... | 280 00 |
| Cooper & Co. Lumber, Oil and other Supplies, City Bldg. | 23 35 |
| Cottrell, C. Y. Election Clerk | 6 00 |
| Cushman, F. A. Board of State Pauper..... | 2 00 |
| Daggett, Geo. Hay, City Team..... | 8 78 |
| Daggett, Geo. S. Maintaining Watering Tub..... | 5 00 |
| Darby, Joseph, Fumigation..... | 117 80 |
| Darling, J. B. Veterinary Services, City Team..... | 8 50 |
| Decrow, E. B. Board of Registration..... | 40 00 |
| Doak, Carlton, oard of Registration..... | 44 00 |
| Donham, Granville, Supplies, City Clerk..... | 2 00 |
| Dow, E. C. Election Clerk..... | 6 00 |

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| Dow & Gross, Repairs to Ledger Binders, Auditor..... | 50 |
| Dutch Bros, Supplies, Smallpox..... | 21 60 |
| Dutch Bros, Supplies, State Pauper..... | 4 62 |
| Dyer, Geo. B. Sheep Killed by Dogs..... | 9 00 |
| Edgecomb, P. S. Labor on Trees..... | 4 00 |
| Edgecomb, P. S. Constable and Police Duty..... | 147 70 |
| Edgecomb, P. S. Sealing Weights and Measures..... | 4 37 |
| Edgecomb, P. S. Election Clerk..... | 6 00 |
| Edgecomb, P. S. Freight Paid on Weights and Measures | 4 70 |
| Fahy, W. F. Election Clerk..... | 4 00 |
| Ferguson, A. M. Hay, City Team..... | 42 73 |
| Field, Ben D. Supplies, Board of Health..... | 1 46 |
| Field, Ben D. Supplies, City Building..... | 12 86 |
| Field, Ben D. Supplies, City Team..... | 75 |
| Field, Ben D. Supplies, Police Department..... | 1 85 |
| Field, Ben D. Supplies, Small Pox..... | 56 43 |
| Field & Quimby, Insurance, Hayford Block and City Bldg | 101 50 |
| Fogg, Ray, Labor, City Building..... | 1 50 |
| French & Gray, Labor, City Building..... | 95 |
| Frost, Edwin, Labor, Election Booths..... | 1 70 |
| Greer, F. A. Election Clerk..... | 6 00 |
| Greer, F. A. Salary, City Solicitor..... | 30 00 |
| Hamilton, C. E. Expenses of Stabling Team, 1912... | 5 00 |
| Hanson, E. F. Salary, Mayor..... | 150 00 |
| Harding, E. L. Services, Board of Health..... | 32 00 |
| Harding & Rackliffe, Supplies, City Team.. | 2 07 |
| Harding & Rackliffe, Supplies, City Building..... | 17 55 |
| Hart, A. C. Maintaining Watering Tub..... | 5 00 |
| Haseltine, W. G. Salary Auditor..... | 75 00 |
| Haseltine, W. G. Stamps and Express Paid..... | 80 |
| Haseltine, W. G. Extra Labor, Auditor..... | 25 00 |
| Hatch, W. G. Election Clerk..... | 6 00 |
| Hayford, Ralph, Supplies, State Pauper..... | 18 50 |
| Hollis, R. A. Labor, City Building..... | 2 00 |
| Howard, A. L. Constable Duty..... | 2 50 |
| Howard Clock Co. Supplies, Police Department..... | 6 00 |

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| Jackson, Alphonso, Board Small Pox Patient..... | 36 00 |
| Jenkins, Edwin, Election Clerk..... | 2 00 |
| Johnson, S. W. Medical Services, Small Pox..... | 198 50 |
| Jones, Geo. H. Board of Pauper..... | 24 00 |
| Jones, J. W. Election Clerk..... | 2 00 |
| Jones, L. S. Election Clerk..... | 4 00 |
| Keating, A. W. Board of Registration..... | 80 00 |
| Kilgore, G. C. Medical Attendance, Insane..... | 10 00 |
| Knowlton, C. M. Hay, City Team..... | 15 34 |
| Knowlton, C. M. Supplies, Pauper..... | 23 09 |
| Knowlton, M. R. Food Furnished Small Pox..... | 37 70 |
| Knowlton, M. R. Expenses, Insane Person..... | 21 00 |
| Knowlton, M. R. Salary City Marshal..... | 337 13 |
| Knowlton, M. R. Salary Sundays..... | 98 00 |
| Knowlton, M. R. Extra Expenses..... | 21 75 |
| Knowlton, M. R. Pay of Extra Police..... | 114 00 |
| Knowlton, M. R. Food Furnished Prisoners..... | 26 50 |
| Knowlton, M. R. Services, Board of Health..... | 64 00 |
| Knox, Mabel H. Maintaining Watering Tub..... | 5 00 |
| Ladd, H. B. Election Clerk..... | 2 00 |
| Leadbetter, A. R. Police Duty..... | 76 00 |
| Leadbetter, A. R. Ringing Curfew..... | 5 00 |
| Littlefield, E. F. Salary, City Clerk..... | 80 00 |
| Littlefield, E. F. Affidavits, State Paupers..... | 6 00 |
| Littlefield, E. F. Board of Registration..... | 63 00 |
| Littlefield, E. F. Bond of Tax Collector..... | 62 50 |
| Littlefield, E. F. Writing Ward Books..... | 45 00 |
| Logan, R. C. Election Clerk..... | 6 00 |
| Lord, S. H. Election Clerk..... | 2 00 |
| Lord, H. L. Police Uniforms..... | 74 00 |
| Lord, M. W. Insurance, City Building..... | 72 00 |
| Lord, M. W. Pay-roll, Assessors..... | 520 00 |
| Lord, M. W. Board of Registration..... | 18 00 |
| Loring Short&Harmon, Supplies, Assessors..... | 23 00 |
| Lothrop, T. W. Election Clerk..... | 4 00 |
| Lunt, E. B. Supplies, City Team..... | 27 05 |
| McDonald, H. E. Supplies, Police Dept..... | 7 75 |

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| McKean Jellison Co. Supplies, Auditor..... | 4 50 |
| McMahan, L. E. Election Clerk..... | 6 00 |
| Maine Central Rail Road, Freight on Hose Wagon... | 23 10 |
| Mason, Edward, Election Clerk..... | 6 00 |
| Matthews & Tyler, Labor, on Equipment of City Team | 39 35 |
| Matthews & Tyler, Labor, City Property..... | 1 65 |
| Merriam, E. C. Election Clerk..... | 2 00 |
| Miller, L. P. Hay, City Team..... | 10 50 |
| Millett, A. Medical Services, Small Pox..... | 10 00 |
| Mitchell&Trussell, Supplies, City Building..... | 20 86 |
| Mitchell&Trussell, Supplies, Police Department..... | 30 |
| Mixer, F. G. Election Clerk..... | 6 00 |
| Mixer, F. G. Salary, Overseer of Poor..... | 60 00 |
| Mixer, F. G. Supplies, State Paupers..... | 120 75 |
| Mixer, F. G. Supplies, Auditor..... | 30 |
| Mixer, F. G. Supplies, Treasurer..... | 1 60 |
| Mixer, F. G. Overseer of Poor, and Supplies..... | 4 67 |
| Mixer, F. G. Supplies, City Clerk..... | 9 60 |
| Nash, Leslie, Driver, City Team..... | 45 96 |
| Nason, F. P. Police Duty and Extras..... | 666 00 |
| New England Seal and Stamp Co. Rub. Stamps Auditor | 1 40 |
| Nichols, W. A. Election Clerk..... | 2 00 |
| Nickerson, E. A. Election Clerk..... | 6 00 |
| Nickson, Adelbert, Hay, City Team..... | 10 43 |
| Norton, S. G. Sheep Killed by Dogs..... | 15 00 |
| O'Connell, Chas. Board of Registration..... | 84 00 |
| O'Connell, Thos. Labor, City Building..... | 1 00 |
| Olson, J. O. Election Clerk..... | 4 00 |
| Olson, Peter, Election Clerk..... | 2 00 |
| Pattee, J. M. Street Sprinkler..... | 150 00 |
| Patterson, Robert, Labor City Building..... | 7 75 |
| Patterson, J. L. Appropriation for Bel. Band Concerts | 100 00 |
| Pendleton, Francis, Removing Mooring in Harbor.... | 3 00 |
| Pennel, Levi, Freight and Crtg on Wghts and Measures | 9 14 |
| Penobscot Bay Electric Co. Supplies, Police Department | 20 90 |
| Penobscot Bay Electric Co. Supplies, City Building... | 4 85 |

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| Penobscot Bay Electric Co. Supplies, Street Lights | \$ 31 30 |
| Penobscot Bay Electric Co. Lights, Seaside Hose House | 11 60 |
| Penobscot Bay Electric Co. Street Lights | 4800 00 |
| Penobscot Bay Electric Co. Electric Lights City Bldg. | 165 20 |
| Penobscot Bay Electric Co. Gas, City Building | 5 50 |
| Perry, I. L. Co. Supplies State Pauper | 13 56 |
| Philbrook, William, Land Damages | 15 00 |
| Philbrook, C. E. Removing Building | 25 00 |
| Piper, Ernest, Supplies, State Pauper | 8 61 |
| Pitcher, E. S. Salary, City Treasurer | 100 00 |
| Pitcher, E. S. Extra Labor, City Treasurer | 50 00 |
| Pitcher, E. S. Stamps, City Treasurer | 2 68 |
| Pitcher, E. S. Election Clsrk | 2 00 |
| Pooler, C. L. Election Clerk | 4 00 |
| Poor, W. O. & Son, Supplies, City Team | 95 |
| Poor, W. O. & Son, Supplies, City Building | 1 35 |
| Putnam, L, C. Election Clerk | 6 00 |
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| Read Garage and Machine Co. Supplies, City Building | 1 35 |
| Redman, P. B. Expenses of Stabling Team | 3 00 |
| Redman, P. B. Sheep Killed by Dogs | 12 00 |
| Republican Journal, Advertising | 5 80 |
| Ridley, A. E. Election Clerk | 2 00 |
| Ritchie, Arthur Board of Registration | 24 00 |
| Robbins, Ephiam, Building Wall on Water Street | 200 00 |
| Robbins, L. L. Election Clerk | 2 00 |
| Robbins, L. L. Board of Registration | 44 00 |
| Roberts, W. M. Co. Supplies, City Clerk | 11 55 |
| Rogers, R. F. Clerk of Common Council | 25 00 |
| Rogers, R. W. Insurance on City Property | 115 02 |
| Rogers, R. R. Payroll Salvaging Desks, Burned School. | 45 60 |
| Rogers, B. M. Election Clerk | 6 00 |
| Russell, C. A. House Rent, State Pauper | 22 59 |
| Russell, C. A. House Reut, State Pauper | 31 29 |
| Robbins, Ephriam, Repairing Wall | 175 00 |
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| Sanborn, P. A. Painting Road Signs | 7 50 |
| Sanborn, M. A Supplies, Small Pox | 10 92 |

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| Walker, L. L. Removing Brown Tail Moths..... | \$336 80 |
| Waldo County Herald Pub. Co. Advertisings, Printing | 316 49 |
| Waldo Telephone Co. telephones Police and City Clerk, etc..... | 48 25 |
| Waterville, City of, Maine, Medical Att. Thomas... | 11 00 |
| Webber, L. A. Supplies, State Pauper..... | 1 50 |
| Whitehead, Elmer, Police Duty and Extras..... | 731 00 |
| Whitehead, Elmer, Ringing Curfew..... | 5 00 |
| Whitnen, H. L. Co. Supplies, Small Pox..... | 2 35 |
| Wight, W. E. Trucking, Election Booths..... | 1 75 |
| Wight, W. H. Election Clerk..... | 4 00 |
| Wiley, E. W. Election Clerk..... | 2 00 |
| Wilson, E. A. Salary City Physician | 30 00 |
| Wilson, E. A. Services, Board of Health..... | 35 03 |
| Wilson, E. A. Medical Services, Small Pox..... | 232 40 |
| Wilson, E. A. Medical Services, Insane Persons..... | 10 00 |
| Wilson, E. A. Vaccination, Schools..... | 69 00 |
| Wilson, E. A. Medical Services, State Paupers..... | 74 25 |
| Wilson, Edmund, Medical Supplies, Overseer of Poor.. | 127 93 |
| Wilson, F. I. Election Clerk..... | 2 00 |
| Windsor House Stables, Teams Police Department... | 14 00 |
| Wood, Wesley, Salary, Janitor, City Building. | 45 00 |
| Wood, Wesley, Extras, City Building..... | 10 75 |
| Woodbury, W. B. Sup't of schools, Shoes for Needy Chil- dren..... | 100 00 |
| Wright, C. L. Labor, City Building..... | 4 35 |
| Wyman—Knowlton Co. Insurance on Hayford Block and City Building..... | 129 50 |
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The following should be added to the total of the Auditor's report to agree with report of Treasurer. These bills paid by Treasurer but same not appearing on Auditor's book.

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| Total of Contingent..... | \$16 557 86 |
| Memorial Hall, Coupons..... | 880 00 |
| Dog Tax..... | 303 00 |
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| Total Contingent Expenditures..... | \$17 740 89 |

HIGHWAYS.

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| Abbott, G. G. Sand... | \$ 12 00 |
| Abbott, G. G. Surveyor, Pay-roll Road District.... | 16 00 |
| Achorn, E. S. Surveyor, Pay-roll Road District | 221 10 |
| Allen Construction Co. Rocks for Crusher | 18 95 |
| American Express Co. Transportation Charges | 18 35 |
| Arnold, W. H. Plow..... | 10 00 |
| Barrett Manufacturing Co. Tarvia..... | 24 71 |
| Belfast Foundry Co. Castings..... | 20 13 |
| Belfast Fuel & Hay Co. Fuel..... | 17 98 |
| Belfast, Wauer Co. Water..... | 28 33 |
| Bennett, H. M. Pay-roll Central District. | 492 41 |
| Bennett, H. M. Steam Drill, Frieght and Expenses.. | 60 38 |
| Bennett, H. M. Salary Acting Road Commissioner... | 20 00 |
| Benson, Geo. E. Painting Road Signs..... | 19 40 |
| Berger Manufacturing Company Metal Culverts | 497 20 |
| Blazo, W. W. Use of Team..... | 23 20 |
| Blazo, W. W. Sprinkling | 7 50 |
| Brackett, A. E. Surveyer, Pay-roll Road District. .. | 290 90 |
| Burgess, J W. Pay-roll Central District..... | 352 8 1 |
| Burgess, J. W. Fxtras Paid..... | 40 30 |
| Burgess, J. W. Road Commissioner Use of Team | 44 67 |
| Burgess, J. W. Road Commissioner Salary..... | 134 00 |
| Butler, D. E. Surveyer, Pay-roll Road District..... | 34 75 |
| Chenery, Horace, Dynamite..... | 22 00 |
| Coe Mortimer Company Raising Draw Bridge..... | 72 83 |
| Collins, Michael, Rocks for Crusher..... | 15 00 |
| Conant, C M.&Co. Supplies..... | 25 95 |
| Consumers Fuel Co. Fuel..... | 53 05 |
| Cooper&Co. Lumber and Supplies..... | 309 21 |
| Daggett, George, Surveyer, Pay-roll Road District.... | 336 40 |
| Daggett, A.M. Surveyer, Pay-roll Road District..... | 10 00 |
| Darby, R. F. Flushing P. O. Square..... | 3 00 |
| Douglas, Burton, Surveyor, Pay-roll Road District... | 18 60 |
| Durham, J. C. Supplies..... | 12 23 |

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| Elms, L. H. Surveyor, Pay-roll Road District..... | 129 05 |
| Elwell, E. R. Rocks for Crusher..... | 7 27 |
| Field, Ben D. Supplies... .. | 8 09 |
| Field & Moore, Labor, on Tools..... | 3 00 |
| Gilmore, S. P. Sand..... | 6 60 |
| Goodhue & Co. Supplies..... | 12 17 |
| Good Roads Machinery Co. Supplies for Crusher.... | 314 00 |
| Gray, E. W. Surveyor, Pay-roll Road District..... | 3 30 |
| Gray, Wm. Rocks for Crusher..... | 3 65 |
| Greenlaw, D. C. Surveyor, Pay-roll Road District... | 293 25 |
| Harding & Rackliffe, Supplies..... | 203 95 |
| Hayes, A. D. Labor..... | 9 80 |
| Herrick, P. Rocks for Crusher..... | 1 72 |
| Holmes, H. Fair, Surveyor, Pay-roll Road Dist | 8 00 |
| Howard, A. L. Surveyor, Pay-roll Road District..... | 18 00 |
| Independent Coal Tar Co. Supplies..... | 8 95 |
| Knowlton, E. H. Surveyor, Pay-roll Road Dist..... | 152 93 |
| Leeman, T. P. Surveyor, Pay-roll Road District..... | 33 30 |
| McClellan, B. D. Steam Boiler..... | 100 00 |
| McKean, J. A. Wagon and Extra Brake..... | 79 50 |
| McKean, J. A. Supplies | 51 43 |
| McKean, J. A. Rocks for Crusher..... | 627 35 |
| Mason & Hall, Supplies | 102 83 |
| Matthews Bros. Supplies..... | 3 30 |
| Matthews & Tyler, Labor on Road Equipment | 79 95 |
| Mellen, J. J. Surveyor, Pay-roll Road District..... | 140 65 |
| Mitchell & Trussell, Supplies..... | 22 56 |
| Morris, J. H. Surveyor, Pay-roll Road District..... | 20 00 |
| Morris, J. H. Rocks for Crusher..... | 6 27 |
| Newcomb, S. W. Rocks for Crusher..... | 45 18 |
| Newcomb, S. W. Sand.. .. | 12 60 |
| Newcomb, S. W. Plow..... | 6 00 |
| Nickerson, Alonzo. Surveyor, Road District Pay-roll.. | 216 50 |
| Norton, B. O. Supplies | 1 52 |

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| Pattee, J. M. Street Sprinkling..... | 402 | 40 |
| Perry, I. L. Surveyor, Pay-roll Road District. | 44 | 34 |
| Pierce, W. B. Labor on Tools, etc..... | 8 | 95 |
| Pooler, Chester, Labor..... | | 50 |
| Read Garage & Machine Co. Supplies..... | 1 | 62 |
| Robbins, Alonzo, Rocks for Crusher..... | 7 | 83 |
| Robbins, Adella, Gravel | 1 | 50 |
| Robbins, Arthur, Rocks for Crusher..... | 26 | 60 |
| Sanborn, E. M. Supplies..... | | 85 |
| Savery, Fred N. Surveyor, Pay-roll Road District.... | 163 | 00 |
| Shute, R. D. Surveyor, Pay-roll Road District..... | 55 | 70 |
| Simmons, C. H. Surveyor, Pay-roll Road District.... | 272 | 20 |
| Simmons, W. H. Supplies | 4 | 80 |
| Simpson, L. F. Road Comm. Pay-roll Road Dist..... | 244 | 85 |
| Simpson, L. F. Road Comm. Pay-roll Central Dist... 1 | 879 | 64 |
| Simpson, L. F. Road Comm. Salary..... | 448 | 00 |
| Simpson, L. F. Road Comm. use of team..... | 141 | 69 |
| Simpson, L. F. freight and extras paid..... | 42 | 08 |
| Snow, A. N. Surveyor, Pay-roll Road District..... | 41 | 40 |
| Staples, F. M. labor. | 5 | 80 |
| Staples, Leroy, labor..... | 14 | 00 |
| Staples, H. M. labor on tools..... | 6 | 60 |
| Stimpson, W. W. rock for crusher..... | 2 | 28 |
| Strout & Rogers, labor on tools..... | 61 | 35 |
| Titherington, O. labor on Crushing Plant..... | 50 | 15 |
| Thompson, T. S. Surveyor, Pay-roll Road District... | 298 | 03 |
| Wadsworth, E. A. gravel | 6 | 70 |
| Waldo County Herald Pub. Co. printing..... | 7 | 00 |
| Walker, L. L. Surveyor, Pay-roll Road District..... | 181 | 80 |
| Walsh, Hiram, labor, steam drill..... | 19 | 00 |
| Wentworth, H. H. Pay-roll Road District..... | 87 | 35 |
| Whitcomb, W. F. Surveyor, Pay-roll Road District... | 207 | 65 |
| Whitcomb, L. A. Surveyor, Pay-roll Road District... | 186 | 05 |
| Wood, Maurice, Surveyor, Pay-roll Road District.... | 120 | 50 |
| Wood, Fred, labor | 10 | 00 |

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HIGH SCHOOL

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| Achorn, Leona, Salary, Teacher..... | 305 57 |
| Banks, Mrs. E. A. Salary, Teacher Commercial Dep't | 100 00 |
| Barnard, Hazel, Salary Teacher..... | 194 46 |
| Field, Caroline, Salary Teacher..... | 233 24 |
| Hazeltine, Marion, Salary, Teacher... .. | 305 57 |
| Parker, Melvina, Salary, Teacher..... | 550 07 |
| Proctor, C. W. Salary, Principal..... | 1299 96 |
| Remington Typewriter Co. Typewriters.... | 50 00 |
| Royal Typewriter Co. Typewriters | 40 00 |
| Smith, L. C. & Bros. Typewriter Co. Typewriters..... | 100 00 |
| Underwood Typewriter Co. Typewriters..... | 50 00 |
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FREE LIBRARY

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| A. L. A. Publishing Co. Booklist | 1 00 |
| American Monthly, Books..... | 6 75 |
| Atlantic Express Co. Transportation Charges | 90 |
| Barr, Annie L. Salary, Librarian..... | 460 00 |
| Barr, Annie L. Extras Paid | 50 91 |
| Barnard, F. J. & Co; Books and Supplies..... | 85 31 |
| Bowker, R. R. & Co. Supplies..... | 4 00 |
| Brown, J. D. Books..... | 20 00 |
| Bureau of University, Books..... | 8 10 |
| Campbell, W. J. Books..... | 4 00 |
| Carol Cox Book Co. Books and Supplies..... | 7 10 |
| Clark, H. D. Salary, Janitor..... | 112 50 |
| Clark, H. D. Extras..... | 34 22 |
| Consumers Fuel, Co. Fuel..... | 145 00 |
| "Damon", Books and Supplies..... | 4 25 |
| Dennison Manufacturing Company Supplies..... | 1 31 |

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| De-wolf Fiske Co. Books | 1 43 |
| Dodd Mead Co. Supplies | 5 67 |
| Doubleday Page, Co. Magazines | 3 00 |
| Field, Ben D. Supplies | 2 65 |
| Frost, Evelyn A. Books | 4 30 |
| Frost, Anams Co. Supplies | 2 52 |
| Gammons, Maud, Books | 3 10 |
| Goldberg, Herman, Books | 93 80 |
| Gray, G. A. Shoveling Snow | 1 00 |
| Hall, Grace H. Salary Assistant Librarian | 250 00 |
| Hall, J. M. Magazines | 1 50 |
| Hall, W. A. Labor | 75 |
| Hamilton, W. E. Supplies. Plants, Etc. | 2 70 |
| Harding&Rackliffe, Supplies | 7 46 |
| Home Furnishing Company Supplies | 1 75 |
| Hooper, Eugene, Magazine | 1 50 |
| Howard, Sanford&Son, Labor | 1 20 |
| Jansen, J. H. Books | 1 00 |
| Johnson, Alfred, Books | 8 00 |
| Lauriaut, Chas. E. & Co., books and supplies | 456 78 |
| Libaary, bureau, supplies | 4 00 |
| Logan, Chas. A. trucking | 3 30 |
| Loring, Short & Harmon, supplies | 77 36 |
| Malkan, Henry, books | 3 00 |
| Massachusetts Society of Colonial Dames, books | 13 00 |
| Nason, Emma H. books | 3 74 |
| Orient Spray Co., supplies | 10 00 |
| Pattee, Jas. & Son, insurance | 25 50 |
| Penobscot Bay Electric Co., lighting. | 52 60 |
| Penobscot Bay Electric Co., supplies | 5 60 |
| Raedmaekers, W. H. books | 65 |
| Rand McNally & Co. books | 1 36 |
| Read Garage & Machine Co. supplies and labor. . . | 3 30 |
| Robbins, Alonzo, trucking | 6 20 |

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| Robbins, Alonzo, shoveling snow. 1912..... | 8 0 ⁰ |
| Robbins, Alonzo, shoveling snow, 1913..... | 8 00 |
| Schultes Bookstore, books..... | 5 97 |
| Smith, Bertha, books..... | 3 10 |
| Stechert, F. C. & Son, books..... | 11 79 |
| Stevens, Carl H. services..... | 2 00 |
| Underwood Typewriter Co. supplies..... | 1 00 |
| Union Library Association, books | 6 85 |
| Williams Book store, books..... | 3 50 |
| Wilson, H.H. Co. Books and Magazines..... | 8 00 |
| Wood, Wesley, Salary, Janitor..... | 37 50 |
| Wood, Wesley, Extras..... | 13 75 |
| Woodcock, M. P.&Son, Supplies | 2 25 |
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SCHOOL CONTINGENT

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| Abbott, Frances, labor, school census..... | 3 00 |
| Adams, Samuel labor, on clocks..... | 6 25 |
| American Book Co. supplies..... | 9 04 |
| American Express Company transportation charges.. | 6 67 |
| Babb, Ewd. E.&Co. supplies..... | 41 27 |
| Belfast, Trucking Co. trucking&freight paid..... | 1 34 |
| Blazo, W. W. trucking..... | 1 00 |
| Blodgett, A. H. labor | 3 00 |
| Brackett, Geo. E. Printing..... | 2 25 |
| Brierly, E. B.labor..... | 3 00 |
| Brown, Edith, care of children at noon hour..... | 18 20 |
| Bucklin, H. L. laundering towels and supplies..... | 8 62 |
| Burgess, Elizabeth, printing&supplies..... | 14 50 |
| Carle & Jones, supplies | 17 80 |
| Cilley, Ida, care of children at noon hour ... | 24 00 |
| Clark. Henry D. Janitor | 10 00 |
| Collins, Elmer labor..... | 20 60 |
| Consumers Fuel Co. removing coal from burned school House | 10 10 |

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| Coombs, C. R. use of chairs, graduation..... | 1 40 |
| Durham, J. C. supplies..... | 6 28 |
| Emery, C. C. cleaning school house..... | 2 50 |
| Field, Ben D. supplies..... | 21 55 |
| Gary, B. B. labor..... | 60 |
| Gray, William, shoveling walks..... | 6 00 |
| Gray, William, trucking..... | 22 38 |
| Gray, H. L. labor..... | 12 50 |
| Gray, E. W. labor..... | 10 00 |
| Harding & Rackliffe, supplies..... | 3 24 |
| Home Furnishing Co. supplies..... | 5 57 |
| Houghton, Mifflin Co. supplies..... | 24 33 |
| Howes, James H. supplies..... | 80 |
| Howes, A. A. & Co. supplies..... | 27 01 |
| Hubbard, Calvin, transportation of drawing teacher.. | 34 00 |
| Jenkins, Myrtle, labor, school census..... | 6 64 |
| Jones, L. E. supplies..... | 22 50 |
| Knowlton, D. H. & Co., supplies..... | 55 |
| Ladd, H. B. supplies... | 50 |
| Library Bureau, supplies..... | 6 60 |
| Logan, Chas. A: trucking..... | 5 59 |
| Locke, H. J. & Son, repairing clocks..... | 75 |
| McDonald, H. E. supplies..... | 17 51 |
| Marshall, T. H. Post, G. A. R. use of hall..... | 10 00 |
| Matthews Bros. supplies | 1 13 |
| Mendell, U. S. shoveling snow..... | 8 00 |
| Mitchell & Trussell, supplies..... | 1 00 |
| Nash, Myrtle, care of children at noon hour..... | 3 05 |
| Neostyle Co., supplies..... | 1 80 |
| Penobscot Bay Electric Co. supplies..... | 10 11 |
| Penobscot Bay Electric Co. lighting school building. | 17 90 |
| Perry, Marion, labor, school census.. | 3 20 |
| Robbins, Alonzo, trucking..... | 2 10 |

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| Smith, Otis, labor..... | 1 00 |
| Southworth Printing Co., supplies..... | 23 80 |
| Standard Oil Co., supplies.. .. | 35 58 |
| Stevens, A. F., labor..... | 5 00 |
| Stevens, C. H., medical inspection..... | 50 00 |
| Wadsworth, Alberta, care of children at noon hour... | 35 00 |
| Waldo County Herald Publishing Co., printing | 8 75 |
| Walton, Grace, care of children at noon hour..... | 24 60 |
| Wilson, F. I. labor, school census..... | 2 38 |
| Wood, Maurice, banking school house..... | 2 00 |
| Woodbury, W. B. Supt. traveling expenses and extras. | 11 14 |
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FREE TEXT BOOKS AND SUPPLIES

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| Allyn & Bacon, books and supplies..... | 87 00 |
| Automatic Pencil Sharpener Co. snpplies..... | 1 20 |
| Babb, Edw. E. & Co. text books..... | 943 25 |
| Brackett, Geo. E. supplies..... | 3 00 |
| Cambridge Botanical Supply Co. supplies..... | 22 25 |
| Carle & Jones, supplies..... | 8 50 |
| Compton, F. E. & Co. supplies..... | 24 00 |
| Donham, Granville M. book..... | 2 00 |
| Eagle Pencil Co. supplies..... | 13 13 |
| Funk & Wagnalls; supplies..... | 80 |
| Hammett, J. L. Co. text books..... | 8 06 |
| Hayes, A. D. book..... | 5 00 |
| Heath, D. C. & Co. supplies | 9 00 |
| Houghton, Mifflin Co. supplies | 25 56 |
| House of Leslie Jones, supplies... | 60 |
| Kenney Bros. & Wilkins, supplies..... | 50 35 |
| Knowlton, D. H. & Co. supplies..... | 2 68 |
| Logan, Chas. A. trucking, etc..... | 5 26 |
| Milton Bradley Co. text books..... | 85 78 |

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| Oberholtzer, Mrs. S. L. supplies..... | 98 |
| Palmer, A. N. & Co. text books..... | 6 45 |
| Palmer, H. L. supplies..... | 48 69 |
| Pearson & Marsh Co. text books..... | 35 20 |
| Russell, Paul F. supplies | 4 90 |
| Sanborn, Benj. H. & Co. supplies..... | 5 25 |
| Sanborn, P. A. supplies | 2 40 |
| School Specialty Co. text books | 9 00 |
| Silver Burdette Co. supplies..... | 35 40 |
| Scribner, Chas. & Sons, text books | 6 60 |
| Smith, L. C. & Bros. supplies..... | 9 25 |
| Spratt, C. A. supplies..... | 15 00 |
| Sterling Refining Co. supplies..... | 5 00 |
| Welch, W. M. Manufacturing Co. supplies | 18 00 |
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SCHOOL REPAIRS AND INSURANCE

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|---|--------|
| Adams, Samuel, repairing clocks..... | 2 25 |
| Babcock, E. E. labor..... | 1 82 |
| Blodgett, Alvin H. labor..... | 6 43 |
| Burdin, A. W. labor..... | 6 50 |
| Colby, W. O. labor..... | 52 81 |
| Cooper & Co. supplies..... | 18 94 |
| Creasey, J. F. labor | 1 70 |
| Durham, J. C. supplies | 16 67 |
| Emery, C. C. painting school house..... | 11 41 |
| Fogg, Ray, labor..... | 50 |
| Gilmore, Fred, labor..... | 1 00 |
| Ginn & Co., supplies..... | 11 78 |
| Goodhue & Co., supplies and labor..... | 206 64 |
| Hall, W. A., labor..... | 1 20 |
| Harding & Rackliffe, supplies..... | 14 03 |
| Home Furnishing Co., supplies..... | 2 00 |

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| Ladd, H. B. labor..... | 75 |
| Lear, E. C. labor and helper..... | 21 05 |
| Mason & Hall, supplies..... | 19 20 |
| Matthews Bros. supplies..... | 2 50 |
| Mitchell & Trussell, labor and supplies..... | 1 50 |
| Mixer, F. G. supplies..... | 2 65 |
| Pattee, Jas. & Son, Insurance..... | 17 00 |
| Penobscot Bay Electric Co. repairs and supplies..... | 8 54 |
| Spencer Eaton Co. supplies..... | 3 05 |
| Staples, Leroy, labor..... | 18 45 |
| Trundy, Lewis, labor..... | 1 00 |
| Welch, M. W. labor and supplies..... | 25 96 |
| Woodbury, Mary, labor..... | 50 |
| Wright, C. L. labor and supplies..... | 22 16 |
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PAUPERS

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| Hayford, Ralph, contract. | 2150 00 |
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SEWERS

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| Benner, Bert, flushing sewers..... | 2 00 |
| Clark, A. M. labor..... | 10 00 |
| Clough, I. T. flushing sewers | 1 50 |
| Cooper & Co. supplies..... | 25 48 |
| Cunningham, Pay-roll, labor..... | 87 60 |
| Darby, R: F. flushing sewers | 8 00 |
| Darby, G. H. flushing..... | 75 |
| Gray, E. W. labor..... | 5 00 |
| Harding & Rackliffe, supplies..... | 6 34 |
| Hayes, A. D. labor..... | 28 90 |
| Jenny, Benj. flushing sewers..... | 1 0 |

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| Lord, N. S. & Co. supplies..... | 3 24 |
| Penebscot Machinery Co. supplies..... | 49 50 |
| Read Garage and Machine Co. supplies.... | 1 50 |
| Robinson, L. H. flushing sewers..... | 6 00 |
| Shute, S. S. L. flushidg sewers..... | 1 00 |
| Simpson, L. F. Pay-roll, labor..... | 303 20 |
| Strout & Rogers, labor on tools..... | 3 20 |
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CEMETERIES

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| Belfast Water Co., water..... | \$ 18 00 |
| Davis, Geo. W., labor | 24 00 |
| Fernald, J. F. labor, perpetual care lots..... | 390 75 |
| Fernald, J. F. commission on lot sales..... | 21 25 |
| Fernald, J. F. payroll, labor..... | 211 50 |
| Gray, H. L. labor..... | 5 00 |
| Harding & Rackliffe, supplies..... | 4 85 |
| Hayes, A. D. labor.... | 5 30 |
| Mason & Hall, supplies..... | 3 78 |
| Merchant, L. C. removing brown tail moths..... | 18 00 |
| Pendleton, E. O. labor..... | 7 00 |
| Staples, B. S. labor..... | 6 00 |
| Wight, Nelson, labor..... | 2 00 |
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STATE ROAD

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| Bennett, H. M. Pay roll, labor..... | 37 50 |
| City Garage, supplies | 3 00 |
| Consumers Fuel Co., fuel | 10 20 |
| Cooper & Co., supplies..... | 923 46 |
| Durham, J. C. supplies..... | 3 90 |

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| Frederick, C. W. use of tar kettle | 2 50 |
| Harding & Rackcliffe, supplies | 12 88 |
| Hayes, A. D. labor | 23 30 |
| Hutchins Bros. labor | 2 80 |
| Mathews Bros. supplies | 4 76 |
| Sellers, W. P. & Son, sand | 33 00 |
| Simpson, L. F. pay roll, labor | 2162 68 |
| Small, J. A. paving stones | 75 00 |
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SIDEWALKS

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| Bennett, H. M. pay-roll, labor | 39 20 |
| Burgess, J. W. road comm. pay-roll, labor | 32 50 |
| Cooper & Co. supplies | 106 58 |
| Greenlaw, D. C. pay-roll, labor | 20 00 |
| Shute, R. D. labor | 4 55 |
| Simpson, L. F. road comm. pay-roll labor | 70 80 |
| Whitcomb, L. A. surveyor, pay-roll labor | 24 16 |
| Whitcomb, W. F. pay-roll, labor | 4 00 |
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CRUSHED ROCK SIDEWALKS

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| Bennett, H. M. pay-roll, labor | 113 35 |
| Blaisdell, A. H. stone curbing | 100 00 |
| Fales & Simmons, contract | 2322 69 |
| Hayes, A. D. labor | 31 15 |
| Simpson, L. F. pay-roll, labor | 812 38 |
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FIRE DEPARTMENT

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| Aborn, J. G. use of auto | 3 00 |
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| American Express Co. Transportation charges..... | 1 80 |
| Belfast Fuel & Hay Co. Fuel..... | 13 15 |
| Belfast Hook and Ladder Co. pay-roll..... | 429 75 |
| Belfast Livery Co. team | 1 00 |
| Belfast Trucking Co. hauling apparatus..... | 1 00 |
| Belfast Water Co. Water, seaside..... | 10 50 |
| Boston Woven Hose Co. fire nose..... | 300 00 |
| Chemical No. 1 pay-roll..... | 22 50 |
| Chenery, Herace, use of auto..... | 5 00 |
| City Garage, use of auto..... | 1 50 |
| Clifford, W. J. use of auto..... | 2 00 |
| Clough, I. T. pay-roll, forest fire fourth of July etc... | 90 25 |
| Consumers Fuel Co. Fuel..... | 8 50 |
| Cooper & Co. Brick..... | 26 92 |
| Cunningham, R. E. trucking..... | 1 50 |
| Cunningham, R. H. stove and freight paid..... | 14 93 |
| Darby, R. F. use of auto..... | 4 00 |
| Darby, G. H. posting fire notices..... | 2 00 |
| Darby, G. H. janitor, hose room..... | 36 00 |
| Davis, B. L. supplies..... | 15 85 |
| Dickey, C. G. care of fire alarm..... | 116 25 |
| Dickey, C. G. labor aud supplies..... | 205 00 |
| Durham, J. C. suppleis..... | 4 16 |
| Gilmore, J. A. labor..... | 2 25 |
| Granville Fiske Co., Hose wagon..... | 225 00 |
| Gray, William, hauling apparatus | 38 75 |
| Harding & Rackliffe supplies. | 19 04 |
| Hart. B. A. banking hose house..... | 2 00 |
| Howes A. A. & Co. supplies..... | 10 00 |
| Lunt, E. B. supplies..... | 6 60 |
| McKean J. Austin, use of auto..... | 10 00 |
| Mason & Hall, supplies..... | 20 71 |
| Matthews & Tyler labor on apparatus..... | 37 00 |
| Mitchell & Trussell, supplies..... | 11 10 |
| Mixer, F. G. supplies..... | 38 |

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| Pattee, J. M. hauling apparatus | 30 00 |
| Penobscot Bay Electric Co. supplies | 4 20 |
| Pettee, Chester hauling apparatus | 6 00 |
| Piper, L. H. labor | 28 30 |
| Poor, W. O. & Son, supplies | 25 36 |
| Read Garage and Machine Co. supplies and labor | 79 72 |
| Robbins, L. L. hauling apparatus | 20 00 |
| Seaside Hose Co. pay-roll | 330 44 |
| Shute, S. S. L. Pay-roll, forest fire, extras, etc | 58 75 |
| Southworth, R. D. supplies | 19 75 |
| Waldo Telephone Co. telephone, Seaside | 25 84 |
| Waldo Telephone Co. telephone, Shute | 28 91 |
| Waldo Telephone Co. telephone, Clough | 13 50 |
| Waldo Telephone Co. telephone, Dickey | 20 21 |
| Waldo Telephone Co. telephone, Darby | 16 61 |
| Washington Hose Co. pay-roll | 742 50 |
| Wight, W. E. trucking | 75 |
| Wight, W. E. hauling apparatus | 1 00 |
| Windsor, Alfred E. & Sons, supplies | 37 25 |
| Windsor House Stables, teams | 62 80 |
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BRIDGES

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| Babbidge, H. A. supplies and labor | 115 59 |
| Bennett, H. M. pay-roll labor | 12 00 |
| Cooper & Co. lumber, etc | 1 370 47 |
| Daggett, Geo. surveyor labor | 7 00 |
| Harding & Rackliffe, supplies | 2 33 |
| Holmes, F. A. lumber | 57 14 |
| Myrick, F. B. labor | 54 00 |
| Pooler, Chester L. contract, & extras | 202 00 |
| Pooler, Chester L. labor | 65 00 |
| United Constuction Co. | 400 00 |

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| Whitcomb, W. F. pay-roll, labor..... | 43 90 |
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PARK

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| Fales & Simmons, labor, walks..... | 158 31 |
| Hollis, R. A. labor..... | 2 00 |
| Penobscot Bay Electric Co. supplies, and lights..... | 31 27 |
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GENERAL SCHOOL PURPOSES

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| Abbott, Frances, subutitute teacher..... | 39 75 |
| Adams, Annie, salary, teacher..... | 376 60 |
| Armstrong, Mrs Leon, transportation of scholars..... | 14 10 |
| Bakeman, Samuel, janitor..... | 5 50 |
| Bidell, Edna M. salary, teacher..... | 155 54 |
| Belfast Fuel & Hay Co. Fuel..... | 362 95 |
| Black, Annie, salary, teacher..... | 364 68 |
| Brackett, Stuart, janitor..... | 5 50 |
| Bucklin, H. L. janotor..... | 600 00 |
| Butler, Lois, salary, teacher..... | 140 00 |
| Chase, Majorie, salary, teacher..... | 342 00 |
| Chase, Majorie, janitor..... | 12 50 |
| Cilley, Ida, salary, teacher..... | 220 00 |
| Clark, Henry D. janitor..... | 10 00 |
| Clary, Mildred, substitute teacher..... | 37 00 |
| Consumers Fuel Co. Fuel..... | 369 65 |
| Cross, Florence, I. salary teacher. | 399 96 |
| Cross, Phede A. salary, teacher. | 237 50 |
| Cross, Phebe A. janitor..... | 7 00 |
| Dutch, Alfred, janitor..... | 18 00 |
| Dutch, Alfred, fuel..... | 1 00 |
| Eastman, Wilhelmina, salary, teacher..... | 338 20 |
| Eastman, Wilhelmina, janitor..... | 3 00 |
| Ellis, J. E. fuel..... | 5 00 |

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| Emmons, Grace, salary, teacher. | 220 00 |
| Erskine, Ella M. salary, teacher..... | 133 00 |
| Evan, Esther F. salary, teacher..... | 383 30 |
| Frost, Edwin, janitor..... | 47 00 |
| Greenlaw, D. C. fuel | 30 75 |
| Hayes, A. D. salary, teacher..... | 775 49 |
| Herrick, Harold G. transportation of scholars..... | 378 00 |
| Holmes, F. A. fuel..... | 26 88 |
| Holmes, H. Fair, transportation of scholars.... | 205 60 |
| Howard, C. R. fuel..... | 59 75 |
| Kimball, Florence M. salary, teacher..... | 364 68 |
| Knowlton, Sidney, janitor | 23 50 |
| Knowlton, M. R. truant officer..... | 60 00 |
| Ladd, Henry B. salary, teacher..... | 356 00 |
| Ladd, Henry B. janitor | 47 00 |
| Leary, Julia, salary, teacher | 339 68 |
| Lord, Grace A. salary, teacher..... | 499 79 |
| McCorrison, Norman, janitor..... | 11 00 |
| Morrison, Evelyn, drawing teacher..... | 340 00 |
| Morrison, Cora, salary, teacher..... | 238 87 |
| Nash, Myrtle B. salary, teacher..... | 140 00 |
| Nickerson, C. R. fuel..... | 5 00 |
| Nickerson, Albert, janitor..... | 5 50 |
| Nickerson, A. T. fuel..... | 6 00 |
| Nickerson, True, janitor | 9 00 |
| Noyes, J. F. transportation of scholars..... | 360 00 |
| Payson, L. A. fuel..... | 18 00 |
| Peavey, E. C. fuel..... | 85 00 |
| Phillips, Elijah, transportation of scholars..... | 360 00 |
| Phinney, Inez, transportation of scholars..... | 32 40 |
| Pitcher, Emma B. music teacher..... | 415 06 |
| Redman, P. B. Fuel..... | 41 50 |
| Robbins, Lophema, salary, teacher..... | 338 20 |
| Sargent, Frances, salary, teacher..... | 373 02 |

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| Snow, A. N. transportation of scholars..... | 324 00 |
| Staples, Charlotte, substitute teacher..... | 5 50 |
| Stevenson, Amos, janitor..... | 2 25 |
| Toothaker, Fred, transportation of scholars..... | 250 00 |
| Toothaker, H. B. fuel..... | 1 00 |
| Townsend, Maud, salary, teacher..... | 375 10 |
| Turner, Ruth, salary, teacher..... | 207 50 |
| Vaughan, Julia, substitute teacher..... | 100 70 |
| Wadsworth, Alberta, salary, teacher..... | 399 96 |
| Walton, Grace E. salary, teacher..... | 401 46 |
| Wentworth, H. H. fuel..... | 1 50 |
| Wiggin, Juliette, substitute teacher..... | 15 00 |
| Woodbury, Mary salary teacher..... | 342 00 |
| Woodbury, Mary, janitor..... | 11 75 |
| Woodbury, W. B. salary sup't of schools..... | 500 00 |
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AUTOMOBILE ROAD

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| Bennett, H. M. pay-roll labor..... | 974 01 |
| Bennett, H. M. extras paid..... | 8 40 |
| Cooper & Co. supplies..... | 46 63 |
| Harding & Rackliffe, supplies..... | 23 02 |
| Matthews & Tyler, labor..... | 10 05 |
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SPECIAL APPROPRIATION ROBBINS ROAD

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| L. L. Walker..... | \$600 00 |
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SPECIAL APPROPRIATION HOSE HOUSE

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| Cooper & Co. supplies..... | \$ 1 30 |
| Cunningham, R. H. supplies..... | 14 00 |

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| Durham, J. C. supplies..... | 19 59 |
| Mason, W. C. labor..... | 9 00 |
| Piper, L. H. labor..... | 20 16 |
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W. G. HAZELTINE, Auditor

Superintending School Committee

Chairman, ex-officio, Edgar F. Hanson, Mayor of the City.

Chairman, pro tem, G. G. Abbott.

Secretary, Wm. B. Woodbury.

MEMBERS OF COMMITTEE, 1913-1914

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| G. G. Abbott | Term expires | 1914 |
| Orrin J. Dickey | " " | 1914 |
| Franklin A. Greer | " " | 1915 |
| Willis G. Hazeltine | " " | 1915 |
| Fred Holmes | " " | 1914 |
| George A. Leavitt | " " | 1915 |
| Edward B. Lunt | " " | 1914 |
| Adelbert Millett | " " | 1915 |
| Calvin Monroe | " " | 1915 |
| Renworth Rogers | " " | 1914 |

Standing Committees—Finance: Haseltine, Millett and Lunt; Rules and Regulations: Greer, Leavitt and Monroe; Text Books and Course of Study: Dickey, Rogers and Holmes.

Regular meetings of the Committee are held the last Monday of each month, 7.30 P. M. at the office of the Supt. of Schools.

Superintendent of Schools—Wm. B. Woodbury, A. M. Office hours at the City Building: Monday, 8-9 A. M.; Tuesday, 4-5 P. M.; Wednesday and Friday, 8-9 A. M. and 4-5 P. M.; Saturday, 10.30-11.30 A. M. During that part of the year when the schools close at 3 P. M., the afternoon hour is advanced to 3.30.

CALENDAR—1913-1914

Waldo County School of Instruction, Belfast, Sept. 2-5, 1913.

State Teachers' Association Meeting, Oct. 30-31.

Thanksgiving Recess, Nov. 27-30.

Fall term closed Dec. 12.

Winter term began Dec. 29, 1913.

Winter term will close March 13, 1914.

Spring term will begin March 23.

Spring term will close June 5.

REPORT OF THE SUPERINTENDENT OF SCHOOLS

To the Superintending School Committee and Citizens of Belfast

Gentlemen:-I have the honor to submit the school report for the year ending March 1, 1914.

UNASSIGNED TEACHER

At the close of the 1913 report four recommendations were made. I am glad to report that three out of these four have been put into successful operation. The unassigned teacher we did not secure sufficient appropriation for, tho at the time the estimate for this year's expenses was made it was thought that it might be possible to make this addition to our educational system. However, by separating the classes into divisions according to the ability of the pupils, we have more nearly gotten at the individual pupil than heretofore and so, to some extent, have attained the aim we had in view through the unassigned teacher.

The good that such a teacher can do will hardly be overestimated, for as long as no two children are alike pupils will need individual attention. With the aid of a teacher free to move from group to group, both the unusually slow and the unusually bright child can make an advance which is impossible as things are now. The large number who have lost time this year through sickness could have profited greatly at the hands of an extra teacher in getting back their standing.

The cities that have made the unassigned teacher a part of

their plan, report from experience, marked gain from this cause. A renewed effort should be made to secure this addition for Belfast.

PROMOTION

In each of the other three lines recommended last year gratifying advance has been made. Semi-annual promotion has gotten its start and by the middle of the year, or perhaps this first year a little later, those pupils qualified, through age or natural proficiency, to advance somewhat more rapidly than their companions will be classed a grade ahead. There will still remain some work of the present year to be finished but not more in addition to the regular work outlined for the respective grades than can be done with readiness during the next year. By the first of February, 1915 the whole transition from an annual to a semi-annual promotion system will have been made without appreciable loss to any and with a half-year's gain to many.

The time for making this change and getting settled down again is extended to February 1915 but if necessary the transition will doubtless be completed by next June.

I wish to repeat at this place that no pupil has been retarded in the change; the majority have simply gone on with their work just as usual, no pupil being kept back who would not have been detained anyway under the old method.

In February 1914 what new pupils may desire to enter the first grade will be admitted and those parents who are always in a rush to get their children into school will not be obliged to wait till next fall as previously would have been the case. Promotions at this time will be made all along the line, bringing a selected few into High School.

These high-school aspirants may, and may not, finish their secondary course earlier than the others from their present class who will enter next fall. They may, possibly, prove capable of gaining another half-year before the close of the usual four years and so finish a year sooner than they otherwise would have done. This, however is not the design. Rather, it is thought, they can spend this half-year, gained by entering the High School in the middle of the win-

ter instead of following fall, to better advantage in taking extra high school work than in continuing grade subjects.

Separating the grades into two divisions has proved, I believe even thus early, of benefit. Teachers have been more successful with two classes of twenty-five each than they were previously with one of fifty. It has also been an incentive to the pupils to get into the advanced division or if already there, to stay with those recognized as the brighter ones.

The present plan is to establish as free an interchange between the new divisions as may prove practicable. With grades close together on the course of study and promotion by subjects it should not be an over difficult maneuver to put a pupil a step ahead, or behind, according to his individual ability in each section of his work.

When the regular June promotions were made this year, instead of holding back, to repeat all their work, those who had failed during the year to pass in a part of their work, pupils were advanced in the subjects where they had done satisfactory work and kept back only in the branches where their knowledge was very evidently lacking. Further, where it seemed evident that the pupil would gain much more by being allowed to advance than he could be hoped to do repeating his work, he was boldly set ahead. The results from this, thus far, have shown no trace of a loss on the part of any other pupil and a decided gain by those allowed to go ahead in a part, or the whole of their work.

Parents, however, should not take too seriously, the dropping back of a child a step. A good many reasons, such as absence, nervousness, rapid growth, etc; may make it much wiser for a pupil to drop back a half-year in some subject more difficult for him than the balance of his work. Under the elasticity planned this repeated step can often be made up without any very great difficulty at some later time, perhaps during the long summer vacation.

It is probably unavoidable under a system which encourages frequent change that the familiar charge of favoritism will be made. I can only hope that the great majority of parents will recognize that the school officials are in a position to gauge the children's capab-

ilites and rate them among their fellows with greater justice than can the parents.

With the attainment of a semi-annual promotion that does not oblige a pupil to repeat any subject in which he has received passing rank, the time is not far hence when the question of the comparative value of our present nine year elementary course and an eight-year course, with some form of sub-primary work, will arise. The fact that so many boys and girls do not finish the nine-year course points strongly to the advisability of putting what is really needed in an elementary education into eight years instead of nine. Either this or the sub-high-school plan, which takes the pupils at the close of their sixth or seventh year at school before they have reached the compulsory age limit and puts them thus early under secondary school methods, is replacing in other progressive cities our present system.

MEDICAL INSPECTION

The third recommendation was for medical inspection. The first move for this, after some efforts in cultivating a favorable public opinion, was a vote for its adoption by the School Committee. This was unanimously given, subject to the stipulation that the work should not cause any overdraft in the year's expense account. Next, the City Government voted to allow the School committee to make use of the school contingent fund for medical inspection. Dr. Carl Stevens was appointed. Through the generous use of his time a good start has been made at a very small expense.

All the grade pupils, except four or five whose parents, in ignorance of our purpose, I, believe, asked to have them excused, and the scattering half dozen who were absent both times when we made our rounds, have been given an examination of nose, teeth, throat and general physical condition. Where occasion warranted a card was sent to the parents stating the presence of some abnormal condition and suggesting that they consult their family physician about the matter.

Where a boy was found to be deaf in one ear his teacher was directed to place him on the opposite side of the room so as to bring his good ear nearer her. A boy with poor eyesight moved near a window.

Disinfectants have been used in basement, cloak and recitation rooms

It has been necessary to keep some children temporarily out of school because of contagious afflictions, ranging all the way from ringworm, lice and mumps to two cases of scarlet fever. This has been the cause of a loss of schooling which we much regret but which has seemed necessary for the sake of protection of the others. Under the compulsory school law one hesitates to force a child to attend school and sit beside another who is in a condition to communicate some disease to him. In trying to be fair to both sides we have guided in our judgment by the best authorities on school hygiene in English print and by the established custom in other places

One of the facts brought out by the physical examination was the need of dental work. Few of our school children have perfect teeth. A note bearing on the importance of care of one's teeth and pledge cards calling for the daily use of the toothbrush were distributed. Dr. Jennys read to the pupils of the eighth and ninth grades an interesting and practical paper on the care of the teeth.

Sometime we ought to have free dental clinics for school children whose parents cannot afford, themselves, to have their children's teeth properly cared for.

The teachers this year as heretofore have examined their pupils' eyes and ears, Dr. Stevens giving attention to this only where some marked peculiarity was noticed.

The usefulness of this line of work, in some ways obvious and in others not so manifest, depends largely upon its permanency. This year we drew upon the school contingent fund and the generosity of a physician willing to serve for very small pay in order to get the work started. Another year we ought neither to be obliged to take from the school contingent fund what should be expended for other purposes, nor to be dependent upon the semi-volunteer aid of any reliable physician. A special appropriation, such as our sister cities are making, should be granted. The results will amply justify the small amount needed.

COMMERCIAL WORK

Typewriting and stenography have at last made their appear-

ance in the high school, thus giving us a start on commercial work. The tuition received for high school instruction was found to be sufficient to purchase and rent enough typewriters to equip a beginner's class and hire an instructor for a part of a year. The annual appropriation was adequate to pay the regular teachers salaries, so we were in a place to make a start. Mrs. Everett Banks, who has had a number of years of successful commercial teaching experience, was engaged as instructor. The long tables in the freshman room were reinforced for typewriters and those seniors and juniors who wished were admitted to an afternoon class. It was hoped to include any not in school who might desire commercial training, but the accommodations did not prove adequate.

Seniors and juniors were given the preference over sophomore^s and freshmen, since there was not room for all and these latter classes can have their turn later. Nineteen started and only one, who is continuing his work at home, has dropped out.

It is a pleasure, not over-frequently enjoyed, to see a group of young people earnestly studying without being driven to their work. The members of this commercial class have seen the value of their work and have settled down to business in a most gratifying manner. Thus far, moreover, there is not the slightest danger of any pupil dropping other work for this branch through the desire to find an easy course. The commercial work is not intended to be the resort of lazy youngsters looking for a soft snap.

What we now need is an appropriation that will enable us to purchase two or three more typewriters and engage the full-time service of a teacher to carry on the present work and, in addition, teach penmanship, business law and what other branches belong to a full grown, high school commercial course. This will make it possible for our young people, without leaving home, to get practically what the commercial colleges offer and, in addition, enjoy the socializing influences of high school life. There is every reason to believe that such a course added to our high school would draw in and hold many who otherwise will not enter the school, or, having entered, will not stay through the present course.

Which is worth more to the city, \$400 in the pockets of the

taxpayers or instruction in those branches that will directly fit our boys and girls for the work that awaits many of them after their school days?

COURSE OF STUDY

The Progressive Road to Reading has been introduced as our basal system of reading. Teachers and pupils, both, are enthusiastic over the animal tales; the children read them over and over again with no apparent loss of interest. It is yet too early to know the exact outcome of the sight-word and phonetic treatment. At the present date the progress made by the beginners, the only class on the new system, as yet is satisfactory and we expect this year's class to read considerable more material than did the last year's first grade, under the former method.

I wish more parents than do would visit each of our grades but I particularly should like to have them see and hear our beginners go through their drill work, oral reading and dramatization of the stories.

The teachers have shown a very commendable interest in taking up a system new to them. They have visited Portland and Bangor schools, at their own expense, and made a first-hand study of the work as it is being done by experienced teachers.

For my own part, I made a study of the system in the Portland schools before it was adopted and have watched its working in one of the Bangor schools since.

The history outline has been somewhat revised, subject to further change later. Tappan's Story of the Greeks has been given the sixth grade and the Story of the Romans the seventh. This is a little in the nature of an experiment but the aim is to give the pupil something as a background to our own history. Those who do not go beyond the grades, or even complete the elementary course, are not likely to get much knowledge of the foundation periods of the world's history beyond what we can give them while they are with us. Nor can they, in the natural course of things, judge wisely the political changes of their own time, unless they have gained some

idea of events outside of our own history with which they can make comparison.

In the High School West's Greece and the East and Rome and the West have been adopted in the belief that they will make a stronger appeal to the pupils than did the series displaced. Reference books have been added, that the pupils may learn to form their judgments from various sources rather than from a single author.

While so far still keeping the Dodge Geography as a basal text we are giving two other series something of a tryout. One tends to emphasize geography as the home of man, the other is rather more of a location geography. It is difficult to determine just how geography should be taught, but with the aid of interesting geographical readers and some text that is not too much like an encyclopedia--especially in the elementary book--we hope to work out a course that will satisfy us in its results somewhat better than the one we now have.

A set of Burton Holme's Travalogues, as an aid in this direction, has been purchased for the eighth grade.

The pupils of the fifth grade and of the Brick Grammar School have had correspondence with youngsters of their own age in Texas and foreign countries, sending them an exhibit and descriptions of our surroundings, to receive in reply first hand information about life in distant places.

The Hamilton Arithmetics adopted last year have given good satisfaction.

The Palmer muscular arm-movement writing has been carried steadily on. The teachers, for a number of weeks met with the superintendent each Wednesday after school for an hour's practice together. A number of sets of exercises done by them were sent to the Boston office for correction. Some of the children are beginning to get the movement habit to the extent desired, viz. using it, without conscious effort in all their written work.

Giving credit for outside work in music in the High School has proved popular with a very satisfactory number who, through this means, have been able to keep up their music during their High School course, and do their other work without undue strain.

The students of the High School have purchased a Victor Talking Machine for the sake of its help in their music study.

By putting in the revised edition of our music book in the grades whenever the wearing out of the old necessitates a purchase we are getting a modern set with no more expense than what is necessary in order to keep up our regular book list.

The work in drawing has gone on with its usual proficiency. The principal change being in the High School where it has seemed best to discontinue the weekly lesson for the freshmen. Principal Proctor is working out, in its place, a course in designing dress pattern.

COMMUNITY EFFORTS

More has been done this year than last in making the schools, to some extent, social centers. In no case has the instruction of the pupils been hindered, while it has been found possible to make the schools serve their communities to an added degree.

Memorial day was observed more generally in the schools than has been the custom. At Thanksgiving time the primary grades took pleasure in gathering and distributing, where needed, a very fair collection of vegetables. The lantern at the High School has been used a few evenings with much pleasure and benefit. The Union schoolhouse has been the home of a Sunday-school, for a part of the year, in a district situated at some distance from the nearest church. The Hayford and Pitcher schools have given to the people of their neighborhoods some pleasant evenings and from the proceeds have gained for themselves each, a set of reference books that form a very considerable addition to the schools.

TEACHERS

In the High School two changes were made necessary through the resignations of Miss Carline Field, to be married, and Miss Hazel Barnard, to accept another position nearer her home. The loss of both teachers has been felt. Miss Barnard did faithful work for us and Miss Field, after her many years of most efficient service had become a "magna pars" of school.

The work has gone on, however, very successfully under the charge of Principal Procter and Miss Parker with the assistance of our two new teachers, Miss Leona Achorn and Miss Marian Hazeltine.

Miss Esther Evans has been promoted to the seventh grade to succeed Miss Edna Bedell who resigned to accept departmental work at a much better salary than we pay here. Miss Cora Morrison, who left our fifth grade a year ago last June to go to Porto Rico, succeeded Miss Evans in the sixth grade. These were all the changes in what we call the City schools.

Three new teachers were engaged in the rural schools. Mrs. Ida Cilley in the grammar room of the Brick School and Mrs. Grace Emmons in the Primary, both teachers of considerable successful experience, have been giving excellent satisfaction. It is to be hoped that they can be kept where they are for years to come.

Miss Ruth Turner followed Miss Ella Erskine, the second teacher lost us by marriage during the year, at the City Point School. Miss Phebe Cross and Miss Marjorie Chase exchanged schools.

The professional side of the work has been looked after thru individual conferences with the Superintendent; teachers' meetings, both general, and in sections; the four-day school of instruction held by the State at Belfast in September, a most helpful meeting and by visiting up-to-date schools of other cities.

REPAIRS

During the summer vacation, in addition to the usual minor repairs, the furnaces were once more patched up and the window sashes made whole. The Union and White schoolhouses were painted and a Round Oak Heating and Ventilating system was installed in the Pitcher schoolhouse. This last is designed to distribute the Heat evenly through the room and furnish sufficient fresh, warm air to give good ventilation without the discomfort of drafts from open windows.

The pipes carrying water from the street mains to the buildings on the Common and to the North Primary gave out and have been replaced by new ones. A fresh-air box leading to the furnace was made for the last named school, in the endeavor to find some way to warm all the rooms in winter weather.

Had we been able to foresee the loss of this building by fire on January 2, 1914, we might have saved ourselves the trouble and expense of at least a part of these repairs. One of the furnaces, located within a few inches of the stairs leading to the boys' basement, on a bitter cold morning, most fortunately before the children had arrived for school, became overheated and started a fire that ruined the whole building.

Rooms have been fitted up at the City Building and only three days were lost in the transfer.

HOME AND SCHOOL ASSOCIATION

This association was organized in the winter of 1913 with the following officers: President, S. A. Parker, Vice President, Charles Rhodes, Secretary, Treasurer, Mrs. J. C. Durham. These officials were re-elected last October for 1913-1914. They with the chairmen of the standing committees, form the executive committee that has general charge of the work of the association.

Two meetings were held in the spring two this fall, and one thus far for this winter. The early spring meeting brought State Superintendent Payson Smith, as a speaker, to Belfast. The other was a reception in June to the graduation class of the High School. The main purpose of the sessions this fall was to get to the notice of the people the special objects to be worked for this year and to bring teachers and parents into closer relationship.

It is a source of much satisfaction that all the meetings have been very well attended. The winter meeting was a Lincoln Day observance held at Memorial Hall.

Article 2 of the brief constitution of the association says: "Its object shall be to bring into closer relationship the home and school in order to promote the efficiency of the school work." Article 3: "Any person interested in the betterment of the schools is eligible to membership. There shall be an annual assessment of twenty five cents.

NEW SCHOOL BUILDING

Upon the announcement, last year, of Mr. Frederick that he

had reached the age set for the passing of the Hayford Block into the possession of the City, it seemed best to the School Committee to take some definite step towards our long-wished-for school building. The first thing was to get an idea of the general plan and cost of such a building as would meet our needs for many years to come.

Some half-dozen architects were granted the privilege of presenting sketches and estimates, with the distinct understanding that the School Committee was thereby put under no obligation whatever beyond recommending its choice to the committee that might have charge of the work later, should any be done.

After about a year's delay the City decided not to build, itself, but to rent from the Belfast Public Building Association. That company has made its own choice of architect, has been active in placing bonds for a \$75,000 structure and expects to begin building early next spring.

Respectfully,

W. B. WOODBURY

REPORT OF PRINCIPAL OF HIGH SCHOOL

To William B. Woodbury, Superintendent of Schools, Belfast, Me.

My dear Sir.-

I herewith present my sixth annual report of the Belfast High School.

It seems to me that one of the principal purposes of a report such as this should be to record in printed form the principal happenings of the school for the past year; the school activities, its progress in different directions, additions to the curriculum and equipment, recommendations etc; in short, to give a brief history of the school and mention some of its needs.

In line with this idea I would recommend that a suitable blank record book be provided and, each year, some member of the Senior class be appointed by the Principal as School Historian for the year to write up each month the record of school happenings for the month preceding.

During the year two members of the School faculty have resigned: Miss Hazel B. Barnard, who, after two years of service in the school resigned to accept a position at Leavitt Institute in Turner, Maine.

Miss Barnard came to us an inexperienced teacher directly after her graduation from Bates College, she was painstaking enthusiastic, a hard worker, realized her shortcomings, due to her inexperience, was willing to accept advice, anxious to receive it and gained largely in efficiency while here; her methods of teaching were good and she had the love, confidence, respect of the pupils in her classes.

Miss Barnard's place has been filled by the election of Miss Marian Hazeltine, a native of Belfast, a former pupil in the Belfast schools and a graduate of Smith College. Miss Hazeltine has had previous experience as a teacher in the grades in Belfast and in the High school at Bingham. She promises to become an efficient factor in the progress of the school and since Belfast is her home, it is to be hoped that she may remain with us for some years.

Miss Caroline Williams Field resigned at the end of the spring

term and was married on October 29, 1913 to Honorable John R. Dunton, a former Principal of the High School and Superintendent of Schools.

Mrs. Dunton had been a teacher in the High School for eighteen years and two terms, serving under the following Principals; Rueben L. Ilsley, Hugh D. McLellan, Will R. Howard, Hal R. Eaton, Walton S. Adams, and myself.

Mrs Dunton was the greatest of help in the administrat of the school. She was thoroughly familiar with all the little details that are so important in the successful conduct of the daily life of the school that friction may be avoided by innovations which are contrary to custom for, strange though it may seem to many, pupils are extremely conservative and resent any changes, evidently being afraid that some of their, so called, priveleges may be taken from them.

Her wide acquaintance with the families of the city and her knowledge of the conditions under which the children worked enabled her to judge, better than the rest of us, what to expect from the different pupils, as well as what their requirements were so that we need not try to fit them all to the same mould.

Her bright mind, wide culture and evident interest in the school and the individual pupil were an incentive and inspiration to all the pupils to do their best. For these and many other reasons he is and will be missed by the school.

To fill the position of teacher of English, caused by the resignation of Mrs. Dunton, Miss Leona J. Achorn was elected.

Miss Achorn is a graduate of Belfast High School and of Colby College and came to us from three years of service in the high school at Lubec, Maine.

Miss Achorn is an efficient teacher, hard-working, painstaking thorough in her knowledge of her subject and an excellent disciplinarian. May we be fortunate enough to keep her for some years.

During the fall term, the school had an invitation from the Augusta High School for an inter-school debate; but, as only one class in school had had any instruction in the principles of debating and that

class had obtained only slight practice in applying the principles which they had studied, it seemed wise to decline the invitation. However, since receiving the invitation we have given considerable time to the subject and I feel that if we should receive an invitation from some school during the coming year, we should do well to accept. Miss Achorn has given much care and thought to this work and I feel that she should be commended for the progress made. The pupils have enjoyed the work.

A class in Household Chemistry, consisting of eleven girls, has made fair progress but, as in the other class in chemistry, is handicapped by lack of time, or, perhaps, rather by lack of laboratory facilities. Twenty-six or eight boys and girls, using a laboratory which will accommodate about six or eight, necessarily make many laboratory sections which use up a great deal of valuable time. If we had sufficient laboratory accommodations, the whole class could be handled in one laboratory section, instead of three or four as now.

A class in Typewriting and Stenography, consisting of pupils from the Senior and Junior classes, was organized in the fall under the instruction of Mrs. Onie M. Banks. A supply of typewriters was bought and others were loaned by the agents of the various companies from whom machines were bought. The class has been interested in the work and good progress has been made. The work now being done needs to be supplemented in various ways before we shall be able to prepare pupils well qualified to do the work of first-class office help. I trust that sufficient funds may be made available to secure the services of a teacher for the full school time. This work has been a necessity for many years and now that a beginning has been made, I hope that soon the full course may be given.

The course in music taken outside of school seems to be popular and in most cases; I am convinced, is profitable. Some of our pupils have considerable talent in music and it is only fair to them that the school should grant them an opportunity to cultivate it. There has been some confusion in organizing the course, but no more than was to have been expected in a matter so untried. The idea in adopting the course was to allow those who were capable of finishing the course in one year to substitute the music for a school study and then the

course was to count the same as any school study taken for one year

Owing to a misunderstanding, quite a few elected the study who were not prepared to finish the work, as outlined, in one year. When these pupils are prepared to complete the course in one year; they will be allowed to substitute the music for a school study and will thus have received credit for a school study for two years. This should not be allowed to happen again and I think that the pupils now understand that only those who are capable of completing the course in one year's time will be allowed to substitute the music for a regular school study.

The school work in music has been changed so that we now have one period a in choral singing and one period for the Seniors and Juniors in a course in musical appreciation. This latter course has been made possible by the purchase by the school of a Victrola designed especially for school work. The instrument was purchased of J. L. Sleeper & Company, at a cost of sixty, "\$60" and twenty-five, "\$25" has so far been paid on it. It is hoped that an entertainment, may provide the remainder of the purchase price.

A class in Garment Drafting, under the instruction of Miss Parker was organized at the beginning of the second semester. This class is some what in the nature of an experiment with us but is along the line of present-day demands for practical work in the schools. I hope the class may be successful enough to warrant its continuation another year.

The school is the largest for several years, the registration, including ten pupils who entered from the ninth grade at the beginning of the second semester, being 135. The average attendance has been poor; especially during the present term, due to the prevalence of the Mumps.

The prize annually given by the Ladies of the John Cochran Chapter, D. A. R., for excellence in composition on some subject connected with American History, was this year awarded to Miss Margaret Murray Craig. Miss Craig selected a two volume set of "Orations by American Orators" as a prize.

The Athletic Association of the school has voted to accept an in

itation to join the Knox County High School Base Ball League, filling a vacancy caused by the withdrawal of Rockland from that league. The following are the regulations under which the league is conducted:

1st. Each team shall pay its own expenses and take all the receipts of home games.

2nd. Umpires shall be selected by the home team at least twenty-four hours before scheduled time of playing games.

3rd. No post-graduates shall be allowed to play in a league game.

4th. No player who has played on the team four years shall be allowed to play in a league game.

5th. Each player shall be in good standing in all of his present year's work and taking a full course.

6th. The principals of the two schools not concerned shall constitute a board of arbitration in case of protested games, and shall have power to select a third member if they are unable to come to a decision.

7th. Each team shall be assessed two dollars "\$2" to pay for the pennant to be given the team having the highest percentage of games won.

I feel that the action of the School Board in appropriating twenty-five dollars to pay a coach for the team was wise and must contribute to a feeling among the members of the team that they are responsible to the school authorities in their play as well as in their work.

The Class of 1913 made a visit to Washington during the spring vacation and for their graduation exercises gave an account of the trip illustrated by post cards shown in the Balopticon which was purchased by the school during the spring term.

The Class gave to the school money to buy one section of the "Triumphal Entry of Alexander into Babylon."

The programme of the Graduation Exercises, given in Memorial Hall, follows:

GRADUATING EXERCISES, CLASS OF 1913

BELFAST HIGH SCHOOL,

Friday Evening, June 20, 1913.

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| Music, Chorus, | School |
| Prayer, | Rev. W. F. Sturtevant |
| Address of Welcome, | Norman Linwood Cottrell |
| Our Trip, | Donald Simonton Clark |
| The Capitol and the White House, | George Knowlton Wadlin |
| The Smithsonian Institution and the National Museum, | Edna Arlene Wight |
| Music, Solo, | Jessie E. Hart, Class of 1915 |
| The Congressional Library and the Corcoran Art Gallery, | Vivian Daniel Sylvester |
| The Department Buildings, | Norman Emulus Littlefield |
| Mount Vernon, | Hannah Belle Pitcher |
| Music, Chorus, | School |
| | Benjamin Low McKenney |
| Awarding Diplomas, | Supt. Wm. B. Woodbury |
| Benediction, | Rev. D. B. Phelan |
| Excused | |

George K. Wadlin and Donald S. Clark have entered the University of Maine and Benj. L. McKenney is at the Boston Normal Art School. Alfreda Ellis of the Class of 1910 also entered the U. of M. last fall.

Thanking you for many suggestions and kindnesses received during the past year, I remain .

Yours respectfully,

CLARENCE W. PROCTOR,

Principal Belfast High School

Belfast, Maine, Feb. 23, 1914.

REPORT OF TEACHER IN DRAWING

Belfast, Maine, February, 23 1914.

To Mr. William Woodbury, Superintendent of Schools.

I submit herewith my fourth annual report of the Drawing course in the Public Schools of Belfast, Me.

This past years' work shows no decided change in the course. We have had two exhibits of the work: one at the end of the school years, when drawings were hung in Memorial Hall and those attending the graduation exercises had an opportunity to see the work; the other exhibit was held during the Food Fair and much interest was shown by the public. The best drawings made in each grade during the month are hung on the scene in the superintendent's office.

In the rural schools we have tried sketching from nature. Some sketches especially attractive were made at the Union School-Water colors of hills, fields, and trees as seen from the school room windows. Stenciling on cloth has been tried in the sixth, seventh, eighth, and ninth grades. The pupils cut their own designs and carried them out in color on bags and table runners.

This years work shows a marked improvement over that of last year. We feel that through this course the boys and girls of our schools have acquired something, that will be of use to them, not only in their school life but in their life outside of the room.

Respectfully submitted,

By EVELYN P. MORISON

Supervisor of Drawing.

FINANCIAL STATEMENT FOR COMMON SCHOOLS

MARCH 1, 1913—MARCH 1, 1914

RECEIPTS.

| | |
|-----------------------------|-------------|
| Appropriation | \$4 090 00 |
| Tuition | 49 20 |
| State School and Mill | 4 317 43 |
| State Common Schools | 4 716 14 |
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| | \$13 172 77 |

EXPENDITURES.

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|--------------------------|-------------|
| Teachers' Salaries | \$9 415 54 |
| Janitors' Salaries | 819 00 |
| Transportation | 1 924 10 |
| Fuel | 1 013 98 |
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| | \$13 172 62 |
| Balance | <hr/> |
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HIGH SCHOOL.

RECEIPTS.

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| Appropriation | \$2 400 00 |
| State Aid | 500 00 |
| Tuition | 318 75 |
| Balance on Typewriter | 32 50 |
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| | \$3 251 25 |

EXPENDITURES.

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| Teachers' Salaries | \$2 988 87 |
| Typewriters | 240 00 |
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| | \$3 228 87 |
| Balance | <hr/> |
| | \$22 38 |

TEXT BOOKS AND SUPPLIES.

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| Appropriation | \$1 500 00 |
| Expenditures | 1 499 54 |
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| Balance | 46 |

REPAIRS AND INSURANCE.

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| Appropriation | \$500 00 |
| Expenditure | 499 99 |
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SCHOOL CONTINGENT.

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| Appropriation | \$700 00 |
| Expenditure | 697 02 |
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| Balance | \$2 98 |

SUPERINTENDENT AND TRUANT OFFICER.

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|---------------------|-------|------|
| Appropriation | \$500 | \$60 |
| Expenditure | \$500 | \$60 |

DESK FUND.

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| Received from sale of paper, pencils and general supplies | \$41 59 |
| Paid for postage, express, trucking and small supplies | 29 99 |
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| Balance | \$11 60 |
| Total Receipts | \$19 725 6 ¹ |
| Total Expenditure | 19 688 03 |
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| Total Balance | \$37 58 |

LIST OF TEACHERS AND THEIR RESPECTIVE POSITIONS

HIGH SCHOOL.

Principal and Instructor in Science and Mathematics: Clarence W. Proctor.

First Assistant and Instructor in French, Mathematics and History: Melvena V. Parker.

Second Assistant and Instructor in English and German: Leona J. Achorn.

Third Assistant and Instructor in Latin and History: Marian Hazel-tine.

ELEMENTARY SCHOOLS.

A. D. Hayes, Principal of Grades and Teacher of Ninth Grade.

Grace A. Lord, Teacher of Eighth Grade.

Esther Evans, Teacher of Seventh Grade.

Cora S. Morison, Teacher of Sixth Grade.

Florence I. Cross, Teacher of Fifth Grade.

Florence M. Kimball, Teacher of Fourth Grade.

Alberta Wadsworth, Principal of South Primary and Teacher of So. Fourth Grade.

Annie L. Black, Teacher of So. Third Grade.

Annie K. Adams, Teacher of So. Second Grade.

Maud E. Townsend, Teacher of So. First Grade.

Grace E. Walton, Principal of North Primary and Teacher of No. Third Grade.

Julia M. Leary, Teacher of No. Second Grade.

Frances A. Sargent, Teacher of No. First Grade.

Ida R. Cilley, Principal of Brick School and Teacher of Grammar Grade.

Grace Emmons, Teacher of Brick School Primary Grades.

Mary A. Woodbury, Teacher of White School.

Wilhelmina Eastman, Teacher of Union School.

Ruth Turner, Teacher of Citypoint School.

Henry B. Ladd, Teacher of Head of Tide School.

Lophema B. Robbins, Teacher of Poor's Mills School.

Marjorie L. Chase, Teacher of Hayford School.

Phebe Cross, Teacher of Pitcher School.

Evelyn P. Morison, Drawing.

Emma B. Pitcher, Music.

RECORD OF ATTENDANCE FOR THE YEAR 1913

| Grade | WINTER | | SPRING | | FALL | |
|------------------|--------|-------|--------|-------|------|-------|
| | Boys | Girls | Boys | Girls | Boys | Girls |
| Grade IX | 18 | 18 | 16 | 14 | 17 | 23 |
| Grade VIII. | 19 | 24 | 15 | 22 | 22 | 21 |
| Grade VII..... | 23 | 21 | 22 | 22 | 17 | 27 |
| Grade VI,..... | 19 | 29 | 17 | 28 | 24 | 31 |
| Grade V | 27 | 25 | 25 | 28 | 25 | 28 |
| Grade IV | 13 | 13 | 11 | 13 | 20 | 19 |
| So. IV..... | 12 | 14 | 14 | 11 | 9 | 21 |
| So. III..... | 14 | 18 | 8 | 17 | 15 | 14 |

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| So. II | 17 | 18 | 17 | 20 | 14 | 14 |
| So. I | 15 | 18 | 15 | 16 | 11 | 26 |
| No. III | 14 | 15 | 12 | 14 | 7 | 21 |
| No. II | 9 | 17 | 9 | 18 | 16 | 11 |
| No. I | 15 | 8 | 14 | 11 | 21 | 18 |
| Brick Grammar | 16 | 10 | 16 | 11 | 13 | 13 |
| Brick Primary | 16 | 15 | 15 | 17 | 20 | 14 |
| White | 16 | 13 | 13 | 9 | 15 | 11 |
| Union | 4 | 9 | 4 | 9 | 6 | 7 |
| Citypoint | 9 | 7 | 9 | 7 | 9 | 7 |
| Head of Tide | 15 | 7 | 15 | 7 | 13 | 5 |
| Poor's Mills | 8 | 8 | 6 | 10 | 4 | 8 |
| Hayford | 7 | 6 | 7 | 5 | 9 | 4 |
| Pitcher | 6 | 9 | 6 | 9 | 10 | 11 |

Totals for Grades:

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| Number of pupils in grades on the Common, fall of 1913 | 274 |
| Number of pupils in South School, fall of 1913 | 124 |
| Number of pupils in North School, fall of 1913 | 94 |
| Number of pupils in Rural Schools, fall of 1913 | 179 |
| Number of pupils in High School, fall of 1913 | 134 |

MEDICAL INSPECTION

| | |
|--|------|
| Number of pupils examined | 639 |
| Number cases of poor nutrition | 2 |
| Number cases lice and ringworm | 68 |
| Number cases enlarged glands | 79 |
| Number cases decayed teeth | 1635 |
| Number cases teeth needing cleaning | 604 |
| Number cases enlarged tonsils | 201 |
| Number cases obstructed breathing, indicating possibility of adenoids | 182 |
| Number parents sent special notice | 121 |
| Number cases defective eyesight | 126 |
| Number cases defective hearing | 42 |

SCHOOL CHARITY FUND

| | |
|---|----------|
| Balance on hand March 1, 1913..... | \$ 53 54 |
| Appropriated by city December 1, 1913..... | 100 00 |
| Receipts | \$153 54 |
| Expended during year ending March 1, 1914,... | \$110 07 |
| Balance on hand March 1, 1914 | 43 47 |
| Number of children helped with shoes, rubbers and clothing (the last furnished by generous citizens) 76. | |

SCHOOL SAVINGS BANK

March 1, 1913—Feb. 1, 1914

| | No. of Depositors | Amount Deposited | Amt., in Bank, on Individual Banks |
|---|----------------------|---------------------|---------------------------------------|
| Grade North I | 11 | \$6 30 | \$6 30 |
| Grade North II..... | 4 | 2 87 | 2 87 |
| Grade North III..... | 19 | 10 85 | 43 94 |
| Grade South I..... | 18 | 13 69 | 14 76 |
| Grade South II..... | 23 | 9 96 | 11 68 |
| Grade South III | 17 | 6 61 | 6 33 |
| Grade South IV..... | 18 | 9 58 | 12 33 |
| Central IV | 15 | 8 35 | 5 17 |
| Central V..... | 11 | 11 09 | 65 67 |
| Central VI | 23 | 18 24 | 39 02 |
| Central VII..... | 27 | 23 43 | 122 10 |
| Central VIII New depositors cease in this grade | | | 151 00 |
| Central IX | | | 97 00 |

Total deposited during eight school months, \$120.97

Total on deposit by school children, \$699.14

REPORT OF TRUANT OFFICER

Number of absences investigated, 53.

Number of children taken directly to school, 5.

One habitual truant was taught a lesson by putting him in the lockup with the knowledge and consent of his parents.

M. R. KNOWLTON, Truant Officer.

Report of Chairman of School Board

Belfast March 2nd 1914.

To the Hon., Mayor and City Council

The school board submits for your consideration their annual report for the past municipal year. This last school year marks some important changes in the school management.

At the earnest recommendation of the superintendent, the following improvements have been inaugurated which have proven successful after practical demonstration.

Among these is medical inspection the value and vital necessity of which there is no question.

A Much needed addition to the High School curriculum was made by the introduction of the commercial course which has met with unqualified approval.

The arrangement for semi-annual promotion is a measure which commends itself alike to teachers and parents and is conducive to the welfare and advancement of the children.

Owing to the increase in numbers in the intermediate grades there is great need for an addition to the teaching force to relieve the burden of the present teachers and measures should be taken to that end.

There has been some difficulty in procuring a quorum at the meetings of the schoolboard, it has been suggested that the number be reduced to not more than five and that they be chosen without regard to political affiliations.

Most unfortunate was the loss by fire of the North school building in the Winter term, but the emergency was met promptly and

efficiently by the superintendent aided by the school board; and the three grades are now comfortably quartered in the city building.

It is useless to reiterate the crying need for a new school building.

It is well known that the present conditions menace the health and well-being of the pupils. And only the teachers realize what difficulties must be overcome to get the best results in such uncomfortable surroundings. But we are hopeful that the time is at hand when Belfast will be in possession of an adequate and modern school building.

We are to be congratulated that our schools are in the hands of such a competent and efficient corps of teachers and they are to be commended for their earnest efforts and good work.

In closing I wish to thank the mayor and council for their cooperation and courtesies shown the school board.

Respectfully submitted,

G. G. ABBOTT

Report of Trustees of Belfast Free Library

FINANCIAL STATEMENT, 1913-14

| | | | |
|---|----|----------|---------------|
| Balance of accumulated income..... | | \$145 | 93 |
| Library Fund increase..... | \$ | 5 | 86 |
| Interest on investments exclusive of Field and Otis Funds..... | 1 | 448 | 55 |
| State Stipend..... | | 125 | 00 |
| Fines, Cards, Books Sold, etc..... | | 161 | 68 |
| Otis Fund for Historical Works..... | | 157 | 56 |
| | | <u>1</u> | <u>898 65</u> |
| | | | \$2 044 58 |

EXPENDITURES

SALARY ACCOUNT

| | | | |
|---------------------------------------|-------|----|----------|
| Miss A. L. Barr, Librarian..... | \$460 | 00 | |
| Miss G. H. Hall, Asst. Librarian..... | 250 | 00 | |
| H. D. Clark, Janitor..... | 150 | 00 | \$860 00 |

BOOK ACCOUNT

| | | | |
|---|-------|----|----------|
| Books purchased from Wilson Fund..... | \$326 | 57 | |
| Books purchased from Otis Fund..... | 157 | 56 | |
| Books purchased from State Stipend..... | 164 | 21 | |
| Current periodicals..... | 111 | 80 | |
| Books bound..... | 92 | 71 | \$852 85 |

BUILDING ACCOUNT

| | | | |
|---|----|----------|---------------|
| Sanford Howard, work on roof..... | \$ | 1 | 20 |
| W. A. Hall, plumbing..... | | | 75 |
| G. A. Gray, clearing snow off roof..... | | 1 | 00 |
| | | <u>1</u> | <u>\$2 95</u> |

LAWN AND GROUNDS ACCOUNT

| | | |
|---|---------|---------|
| Mowing Lawn..... | \$24 00 | |
| Extra work on lawn and banking..... | 11 90 | |
| Flowers for urns..... | 2 70 | |
| Read Garage, sharpening lawn mower..... | 3 30 | \$41 90 |

EXPENSE ACCOUNT

| | | |
|---|----------|----------|
| Shoveling snow 1912-13 and 1913-14..... | \$ 16 00 | |
| James Pattee, insurance..... | 25 50 | |
| Dr. Carl Stevens, disinfection..... | 2 00 | |
| Fuel | 145 00 | |
| Express and freight..... | 13 43 | |
| Extra services..... | 18 02 | |
| American Library Assn. dues ... | 2 00 | |
| Assistance book work and cleaning..... | 10 75 | |
| Trucking | 4 50 | |
| Penobscot Bay Electric Co., Lighting..... | 52 95 | \$290 15 |

SUPPLY ACCOUNT

| | | |
|--|---------|---------|
| Home Furnishing Co., rug..... | \$ 1 75 | |
| Ben D. Field, supplies | 2 65 | |
| Orient spray, 5 gallons..... | 10 00 | |
| M. P. Woodcock, picture frame..... | 2 25 | |
| Stationery..... | 11 89 | |
| Library of Congress Catalog cards..... | 10 00 | |
| Underwood typewriter ribbon..... | 1 00 | |
| Harding & Rackliffe, supplies..... | 7 46 | |
| A. L. Barr, supplies..... | 16 68 | |
| Electric lamp globes | 5 25 | \$68 93 |

RECAPITULATION

| | |
|-------------------------|------------|
| Total Income..... | \$2 044 58 |
| Total Expenditures..... | 2 116 78 |

G. W. FIELD FUND ACCOUNT

| | | |
|--------------------------------|------------|------------|
| Accumulated income..... | \$1 025 61 | |
| Increase of fund for year..... | 122 22 | \$1 147 83 |

ALBERT BOYD OTIS FUND ACCOUNT

| | | |
|--------------------------------|---------------|---------|
| Balance from last year..... | \$113 37 | |
| Interest on fund for year..... | <u>125 76</u> | |
| | \$239 13 | |
| Books purchased from Fund..... | 157 56 | |
| Balance unexpended..... | | \$81 57 |

HENRY D. CLARK
E. S. PITCHER
MAURICE W. LORD

Report of Librarian

1913-14

March 2, 1914

To the Trustees of the Belfast Free Library:

Gentleman :-

The twenty-six annual report of the Belfast Free Library is herewith presented.

During the past year the Library has as usual served the educational requirments of the community and also furnished reading for entertainment for several hundred people. It has been a busy year although unmarked by any important event.

Registration

The Regtration Record shows that 2, 908 first cards have been issued since September, 1905, of which 214 were written in the year ending March 1, 1914. In accordance with the custom of cancelling registrations because of death or change of residence, 159 have been withdrawn this past year, leaving, 2, 179 registration slips.

Circulation

The circulation of books has been larger than last year, notwithstanding the fact that automobiles and moving pictures are said to affect library patronage.

Circulation Classified.

| | | |
|----------------------------------|----|-----|
| Fiction | 17 | 655 |
| Juvenile Books..... | 3 | 533 |
| General works & periodicals..... | 2 | 436 |
| Philosophy & Religion..... | | 222 |

| | |
|--------------------------|--------|
| Sociology | 207 |
| Science..... | 211 |
| Useful & Fine Arts | 1 288 |
| | 25 552 |
| Literature..... | 489 |
| Travel..... | 648 |
| Biography..... | 214 |
| History..... | 608 |
| Total . | 27 511 |

Adult fiction 64 percent

Home Libraries

The Library has as usual furnished books for three Home Libraries^s at East Belfast, Mrs. E. O. Pendleton, Librarian, at Little River, Mrs. W. C. Vose, Librarian, and at Poor's Mills, Miss Lophema Robbins, Librarian. The total number of volumes loaned the Home Libraries was 597. By the courtesy of the publishers of Harper's Weekly, we are also sending to East Belfast and Little River free subscriptions to Harper's Weekly.

Circulation from Home Libraries.

| | |
|--------------------|-------------|
| East Belfast. | 1 776 |
| Little River..... | 388 |
| Poor's Mills..... | 536 |
| | 2 700 vols. |

Accessions.

Since 1888 the Library has acquired by gift and purchase 17,818 volumes. 1,244 volumes have been discarded or withdrawn from circulation, leaving 16,574 volumes in the Library.

Accessions Classified.

| | |
|---------------------------------------|-----|
| Fiction..... | 174 |
| Juvenile Books,..... | 67 |
| General works and bound periodicals.. | 22 |
| Philosophy | 8 |
| Religion | 6 |

| | |
|--|-----------|
| Sociology, including State and Govern- ment Reports | 84 |
| Natural Sciences | 5 |
| Useful Arts | 13 |
| Fine Arts | 50 |
| Literature | 30 |
| Travel | 71 |
| Biography | 30 |
| History | 42 |
| Total | 602 vols. |

Sources of Accessions.

| | |
|--|-----------|
| By purchase from the Wilson Fund . . . | 339 |
| By purchase from the Otis Fund | 54 |
| By purchase from the State Stipend . . . | 113 |
| Gifts from individuals | 13 |
| Gifts from organized societies | 5 |
| Gifts from U. S. Government | 34 |
| Gifts from State of Maine | 38 |
| Lost book replaced | 1 |
| Pay books accessioned | 5 |
| Total | 602 vols. |

Many books of especial value have been added which cannot fail to be a source of local pride in years to come. The most costly single volume ever purchased is "The Old Silver of American Churches" by E. Alfred Jones, published last year under the auspices of the National Society of Colonial Dames of America. The Library is able to acquire this book and others of more than usual cost through the generosity of Mr. Albert Crane of Stamford, Conn., who gave the Otis Fund for the purchase of books of history and biography.

The Standard Reference Book for Young People, 6 volumes, affords a needed encyclopedia, written in simple language, intelligible to pupils of all grades of school. Through the courtesy of Hon. Edwin C. Burleigh, we have received the Census Report for 1910. Two copies of Vol. 2 of the History of Belfast by Joseph Williamson have been

purchased and a third copy has been presented by Miss Ada Williamson of Boston, daughter of the author. This book by the honored first Chairman of Trustees of the Library recalls his interest in this institution and the care which he manifested in it to the end of his life. I take this occasion to express the sentiment of the community in commending the admirable work of Mr. Alfred Johnson of Boston, who so ably edited and prepared for publication the work of the scholarly author.

A few of the titles of books worthy of mention are as follows:

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|--|-----------------------|
| The Grandeur that was Rome,..... | J. C. Stobart |
| The Glory that was Greece,..... | J. C. Stobart |
| Ancient Landmarks of Plymouth,..... | W. T. Davis |
| Saco Valley Settlements and Families,..... | G. T. Bidlon |
| The Near East,..... | Robert Hichens |
| Architecture of Greece and Rome, | W. J. Anderson |
| The United States and Mexico. 2 vols | George L. Rives |
| Old Hallowell on the Kennebec, | Emma Huntington Nason |
| Autobiography of Herbert Spencer. 2 vols. | |
| Forty-One Years in India. 2 vols..... | Lord Roberts |
| Under the Old Flag. 2 vols..... | James H. Wilson |

We have also bound the Masters in Art, making thirty-nine volumes of the 110 numbers, so that the preservation of this valuable reference magazine is insured. As usual the Chautauqua books and magazine have been purchased.

An interesting collection of Confederate paper money has been sent the Library from the Treasury Department, which has been framed and placed in the Reading Room.

Care of Books.

| | |
|--------------------------------------|-------|
| Books repaired at the Library..... | 2 878 |
| Books rebound | 89 |
| Missing books..... | 5 |
| Books withdrawn from circulation.... | 30 |

Of the 30 books withdrawn, 13 were destroyed on return to the Library from houses in which small pox cases had been reported. Although we were assured that there was no danger of infection

from these books, as they had not been exposed to the disease and had been fumigated, it was not judged wise to allow them to return to circulation. We also refused books to be used in houses in which there had been small pox cases, until notified by physicians in charge that it was entirely safe.

The missing books are "A Plebe at West Point," "Two Little Savages," "A Tenderfoot with Peary," "American Boy's Handy Book," and "Recollections Grave and Gay," by Mrs. Burton Harrison.

Cash Receipts.

| | |
|-----------------------------------|----------|
| Fines..... | \$94 96 |
| Book cards sold..... | 33 20 |
| Received from pay books..... | 6 47 |
| Paid for books bound..... | 6 35 |
| Book lost paid..... | 1 17 |
| Rebate from sprinkling, 1912..... | 3 60 |
| Books bought for Book Committee.. | 15 93 |
| | <hr/> |
| | \$161 68 |

As early as 1900, Mr. Williamson, in his annual report of the Trustees, speaks of the inadequacy of the building, both in shelf room and for the comfort of readers. To-day, it is a serious problem to place books, since we have more than sixteen thousand volumes in a building, which was described when first built as able to contain 14,000 volumes.

Through the kindness of Mr. H. M. Prentiss, by the loan of a lantern, the Traveller's Club enjoyed an evening with pictures of India. It is our earnest wish that similar entertainments might be often given to the Library for local clubs.

In closing, I wish to thank the Library officials and committees for their faithful services to the Institution, and to especially thank Miss Florence Shaw for assistance in many branches of the work.

Respectfully submitted,

ANNIE LEONORA BARR,

Librarian

Chief Engineer's Report

Belfast, Maine, March 2, 1914

To His Honor the Mayor and City Council.

Gentlemen:

I herewith submit the annual report of the Fire Department for the year March 2, 1914, including the force of the Department, with a record of all fire alarms, cause of fires as far as I know.

PERSONNEL.

Board of Engineers, S. S. L. Shute, I. T. Clough and E. L. Cook.

Hose Co. No. 1, George Darby, Captain, with nineteen men.

Hose Co. No. 2, James Sholes, Captain, fourteen men.

Hook and Ladder Co. No. 1, A. G. Jewett, Captain, fourteen men.

Chemical No. 1, Frank Roberts, Captain, nine men.

APPARATUS.

Consists of two hose wagons, one hose pung, two hose reels, one hook and ladder truck, one hook and ladder sled, one gasoline engine, one fifty gallon chemical engine, one Eastman deluge set and nozzle, axes and other findings belonging to the department.

HOSE.

The department has 4,000 feet of 2 1-2 inch cotton rubber-lined hose, first class condition. 1,000 feet in fair condition.

HYDRANTS.

There are 69 hydrants within the city limits for fire purposes, no new ones placed this year, also eleven fire alarm boxes.

RECOMMENDATIONS.

That five hundred feet of new hose be bought. That the city needs a new, up-to-date ladder truck. That the fire alarm system be improved by installing a storage battery system.

FIRE ALARMS FOR 1913-1914.

March 19, 1913. 2 A. M. Box 5. James Randall house, East Belfast. Cause, unknown. Value, \$1,000. Total loss. Insured.

May 12, 1913. 10.30 P. M. - Box 36. Stickney Block, Phoenix Row. Cause, unknown. Damage, \$1,000. Insured.

May 18, 1913. 7 P. M. Box 25. Colby house, Market street. Chimney burning out. No damage.

May 22, 1913. 3 P. M. Box 36. Basement Colonial Building, Cause, overheated oil stove. Damage slight. Insured.

June 24, 1913. 9 A. M. Box 36. E. J. Orcutt. Cause, overheated stove. Damage, \$100. Insured.

June 26, 1913. 12 M. House G. L. Bean. Box 25. Cause, unknown. Total loss. Insured.

July 4, 1914. Box 17. 5 A. M. Hills house, Miller St. Cause, unknown. Damage, \$300. Insured.

July 8, 1913. Box 23, 7 P. M. Lewis wharf. Cause, lighted cigar butt. No damage.

Sept. 10, 1913. 10 A. M. Box 24. W. F. Triggs house, Cross St. Cause, unknown. Damage, \$300. Insured.

Sept. 20, 1913. 1 A. M. Box 5. Barn Clifton. Gross. Total loss. Barn and stock value, \$1,000. Insured.

Oct. 3, 1913. 12 noon. Bates house. Value, \$1,000. Total loss. Insured.

Oct. 24, 1913. 5.45 P. M. Box 25. Chimney fire, M. R. Knowlton house. No damage.

Nov. 10, 1913. 2 A. M. Box 25. G. B. Marsano house. Damage, house and contents, \$1,000. Insured.

Dec. 10, 1913. Box 25, Harris Block, Main Street. 10 P. M. Value unknown. Insured.

Jan. 2, 1914. 7.30 A. M. Box 25, North school. Value, \$3,000. Total loss. Insured, \$1,000.

Feb. 11, 1914. Box 35, 6 P. M. Chimney fire, H. L. Curtis house. No damage.

Feb. 13, 1914. Box 35, 7 P. M. Chimney fire, Paysons house. No damage.

Feb. 21, 1914. 9 A. M. Box 25. Chase house, Spring street. Cause, defective stove pipe. Damage, \$200. Insured.

There have been 29 still alarm and telephone calls, that have been responded to by Hose No. 1, calls being mostly for chimney fires and defective pipes letting smoke into houses.

I wish to thank His Honor, the Mayor, the Fire Committee' and the members of the Departments, also the Assistant Engineers' for the uniform courtesy shown during the year.

Respectfully submitted,

S. S. L. SHUTE

I. T. CLOUGH

Engineers, Fire Department

FINANCIAL STANDING OF THE DEPARTMENT.

| | |
|--|------------|
| Amount of moneys appropriated | \$3 000 00 |
| Check received from town of Northport, for services..... | 31 00 |

SALARIES PAID.

| | | |
|--|----------|------------|
| Hose Co. No. 1 | \$742 50 | |
| Hose Co. No. 2 | 330 44 | |
| Hook & Ladder Co | 429 75 | |
| Chemical No. 1 | 22 50 | \$1 525 19 |
| Salary electrician, fire alarm | 116 25 | |
| Labor and supplies | 225 21 | 341 46 |
| Hauling apparatus. | | |
| H. & L. truck | 59 75 | |
| Seaside Hose No. 2 | 50 00 | |
| Chemical No. 1 | 3 50 | 113 25 |
| Teams for out of town fires | | 86 30 |
| Labor and repairs on apparatus | 116 72 | |
| Janitor | 36 00 | 152 72 |
| Supplies. | | |
| Hose | 300 00 | |
| Extinguishers | 37 25 | |
| Coats | 15 85 | |
| Miscellaneous | 163 15 | |
| Labor and supplies, Seaside No. 2.. | 94 87 | |
| Labor and supplies, Chemical No. 1 | 36 06 | 647 18 |
| Extra labor for men at forest fires and regular men on duty at house | 157 25 | |
| Freight charges | 2 93 | 160 18 |
| | | \$3 026 28 |
| | | \$3 031 00 |
| | | 3 026 28 |
| Balance unexpended. | | \$4 72 |

The City Team has responded to a total of 37 alarms, which, if horses had been hired would have cost the city \$185.

Report of Milk Inspector

Belfast, March 2nd, 1914

To the Honorable Mayor and City Council,

Gentlemen:

I herewith submit my annual report as Milk Inspector for the past municipal year.

The amount of milk distributed to the consumers has not been increased to any great extent and I think the people have been well supplied during the year.

There are at present seven large dairies selling milk from teams, also several smaller dairies, the creameries and different places of business that sell at wholesale and retail.

There have been two routes added and one discontinued during the year.

In the tests made at intervals, I find that the per cent of butter fat ranges practically the same as in previous years.

I have made the usual number of calls at the homes of the dealers and examined the stables and apparatus used in the care and handling of the milk and found them in most cases up-to-date and in excellent condition, and among the herds there have been no contagious diseases which have been brought to my notice.

I have found no cases of adulteration nor had any complaints from consumers as to the quality of milk supplied.

There is probably no article of food in its natural state, that is a greater medium of carrying disease germs than milk, therefore, every attention should be given to sanitation and cleanliness in every department of the business.

In my routine of calls I have found the dealers courteous and ready to give me all information needed in my work.

Respectfully submitted,

G. G. ABBOTT

City Marshal's Report

Belfast, Maine, March 1. 1914

To the Hon. Mayor and City Council,

Gentlemen:

I herewith submit my report as City Marshal, from February 28, 1913, to March 1, 1914, as follows:

| | |
|--|----------------|
| Whole number of arrests made..... | 67 |
| For Drunkenness and Disturbing the Peace..... | 20 |
| “ Larceny | 6 |
| “ Breaking Windows..... | 2 |
| “ Breaking and Entering..... | 6 |
| “ Larceny from Building..... | 2 |
| “ Assault and Battery | 6 |
| “ Using Threatening Language..... | 3 |
| “ Embezzlement..... | 1 |
| “ Vagrancy | 3 |
| “ Detained for officers out of County..... | 3 |
| “ Detained on local complaints..... | 4 |
| “ Cruelty to Animals..... | 2 |
| “ Commitment to Insane Asylum..... | 2 |
| “ Commitment to State School for Boys..... | 4 |
| “ Commitment to State School for Girls | 1 |
| “ Furnished Food and Lodging at Police Station..... | 175 |
| “ Fees received by officers and paid to E. S. Pitcher, City Treasurer, M. R. Knowlton..... | \$42 86 |
| Elmer S. Whitehead..... | 1 70 |
| Fred P. Nason..... | 5 34 |
| | <u>\$49 90</u> |

“ Amount paid for special police duty from February 28, 1913, to March 1, 1914, \$116.00.

Respectfully submitted,

M. R. KNOWLTON,

City Marshal

Report of Trustees of Cemeteries for the Year 1913-14

To the Honorable Mayor and City Council,
Gentlemen:

We herewith submit our report as Trustees of Cemeteries for
the past year.

Grove Cemetery

| | |
|--|----------|
| Balance brought forward..... | \$ 20 38 |
| Received for sale of lots | 425 00 |
| Interest on Perpetual Care Fund..... | 390 75 |
| Paid J. F. Fernald, bills rendered..... | \$211 50 |
| “ J. F. Fernald, 5 per cent on sale of lots for 1913..... | 21 25 |
| “ J. F. Fernald, perpetual care of lots..... | 390 75 |
| “ Belfast Water Co..... | 18 00 |
| “ L. C. Merchant..... | 18 00 |
| “ Mason & Hall..... | 3 78 |

Head of Tide Cemetery

| | |
|----------------------------|-------|
| Paid George L. Davis..... | 14 00 |
| “ George L. Davis..... | 10 00 |
| “ Harding & Rackliffe..... | 4 85 |

City Point Cemetery

| | |
|--------------------------|------|
| Paid B. F. Staples | 6 00 |
| “ A. D. Hayes | 5 30 |

West Belfast Cemetery

| | |
|----------------------|------|
| Paid H. L. Gray..... | 5 00 |
|----------------------|------|

South Belfast Cemetery

| | | | |
|---------------------------|--------|----------|----------|
| Paid Nelson Wight..... | 2 00 | | |
| East Belfast Cemetery | | | |
| Paid E. O. Pendleton..... | 7 00 | | |
| | | <hr/> | |
| | | \$717 43 | \$836 13 |
| Balance on hand..... | 118 70 | | |
| | | <hr/> | |
| | | \$836 13 | \$836 13 |

Perpetual Care Fund

| | | | |
|---|-------------|--------|--|
| Amount of Perpetual Care Fund..... | \$10 810 76 | | |
| Accumulated interest on Perpetual Care Fund.. | \$749 13 | | |
| Amount expended on perpetual care of lots... | 390 75 | | |
| Balance of perpetual care interest..... | | 358 38 | |

CHARLES F. SWIFT
CHARLES R. COOMBS
CHARLES B. EATON

Report of Supt. of Grove Cemetery

To the Hon. Mayor and City Council,

Gentlemen:

During the past year from March 1, 1913, to March 1, 1914, I have attended to the disposition of 104 bodies, and hereby submit the following report:

Whole number attended, 104.

84 died in Belfast, 15 of this number were carried out of town for burial.

20 died away but were brought here for burial.

69 buried in Grove Cemetery.

2 buried in West Belfast, 1 in Union yard, 2 in Harriman annex, 2 at Head of Tide, 1 in South Belfast, 1 at City Point and there are 11 now in the tomb.

Following is a list, giving name, date, age, cause and place of death and place of burial.

Respectfully submitted,

J. F. FERNALD,

Supt. Grove Cemetery

March, 1914

Henry N. French, March 3, 63 years, Paralysis, Lot 15, Range 29, Grove Cemetery.

Stephen M. Shaw, March 5, 68 years, Prostatic Disease, Lot 6, Range 3, Grove Cemetery.

Margaret Frost, March 8, 69 years, Acute Nephritis, Lot 20, Range 4, Grove Cemetery.

David H. Gray, March 16, 76 years, Pneumonia.

Harriet C. Bakeman, March 20, 58 years, Acute Nephritis.

Blanche Danforth, March 20, 33 years, Murder, Lot 14, Range 2, Grange Cemetery.

Ezekiel R. Thomas, March 20, 69 years, Pneumonia, Lot 15, Range 15, Grove Cemetery.

Nathan Seekins, March 21, 64 years, Pneumonia, Swanville.

Newell Emery Keene, March 22, 82 years, Valvular Heart, Lot 28, Range 5, Grove Cemetery.

Martha A. Knowlton, March 22, 78 years, Chronic Nephritis.

Henry W. Marriner, March 26, 72 years, Cerebral Hemorrhage, Lot 3, Range 18, Grove Cemetery.

Guy Merton Knowlton, March 27, 28 years, Tuberculosis, Lot 7, Range 19, Grove Cemetery.

Clementine N. Poor, April 3, 76 years, Asthenia, Lot 9, Range 31, Grove Cemetery.

Annie W. Ellis, April 5, 64 years, Cerebral Hemorrhage, Lot 11, Range 9, Grove Cemetery.

Charles W. Coombs, April 9, 40 years, Cancer, Lot 7, Range 20, Grove Cemetery.

Geneva Varney, April 11, 63 years, Myocarditis, Montville.

Maynard D. Kimball, April 15, 13 years, Appendicitis, Morrill.

Otis Cummings, April 23, 94 years, Senile Debility, Northport.

Lavonia S. Abbott, April 30, 84 years, Rupture of Heart, Harriman Annex.

Westover Child, Lot 11, Range 13, Grove Cemetery.

Stanley Way, 14 days, Lot 11, Range 13, Grove Cemetery.

Clara A. Hammons, May 15, 58 years, Cancer of Liver, Lot 14, Range 2, Grove Cemetery.

Maud Darby, May 15, 29 years, Tuberculosis, Lot 15, Range 16, Grove Cemetery.

Clara J. Greenlaw, May 18, 72 years, Cancer, Lot 2, Range 4, Grove Cemetery.

Orilla A. Carter, May 19, 59 years, Brights Disease, Cape Jellison.
Chas. E. Henderson, May 20, 29 years, Accident, Lot 1, Range 19, Grove Cemetery.

Percy K. Richards, May 21, 41 years, Typhoid Fever, Lot 7, Range 3, Grove Cemetery.

Clara B. Townsend, May 22, 37 years, Tuberculosis, Lot 16, Range 16, Grove Cemetery.

Carrie C. Bartlett, May 22, 60 years, Pneumonia.

Caro E. Carter, May 25, 84 years, Lot 22, Range 25, Grove Cemetery.

Myra Maddocks, May 26, 65 years, Pneumonia.

Mendall child, Lot 5, Range 19, Grove Cemetery.

Emery Danforth, June 4, 36 years, Suicide, Lot 14, Range 1, Grove Cemetery.

Bertha Annie Davis, June 7, 48 years, Cancer, Lot 51, new W. Wall Range, Grove Cemetery.

Lendall T. Shales, June 11, 66 years, Lot 23, Range 22, Grove Cemetery.

Milton child, June 16, Lot 11, Range 13, Grove Cemetery.

Florence Stevens, June 25, 25 years, Lot 22, Range 6, Grove Cemetery.

Jonathan Roberts, June 25, 78 years, Heart Disease, Brooks.

John W. Jones, June 26, 58 years, Harriman Annex.

Albert T. Stevens, June 29, 67 years, Chronic Nephritis, Union Yard.

Benj. F. Hall, June 23, Swanville.

David E. Bird, July 10, 76 years, Cerebral Hemorrhage, Lot 9, Front Range, Grove Cemetery.

Lydia A. Wentworth, July 24, 71 years, Spinal Sclerosis, Lot 22, Range 6, Grove Cemetery.

Laura B. Hussey, July 24, 21 years, Typhoid Pneumonia, Lincolnville.

Frances E. Jackson, July 27, 2 months, Lot 13, Range 15, Grove Cemetery.

Eli C. Merriam, August 1, 73 years, Cancer, Head of Tide.

Ella M. Davis, August 6, 56 years, Chronic Nephritis, Lot 7, Range 1, Grove Cemetery.

Lulu M. Colton, August 7, 26 years, Septicemia, Head of Tide.

Lottie E. Pettee, August 17, 46 years, Heart Disease, Lot 19, Range 4, Grove Cemetery.

Mary S. Bigsbee, August 24, 76 years, Senile Debility, Lot 16, Range 17, Grove Cemetery.

Melvin E. Crosby, August 24, 18 years, Pneumonia, Lot 11, Range 19, Grove Cemetery.

Grace L. Wellman, August 31, 38 years, Appendicitis, Lot 27, Range 6, Grove Cemetery.

Elvira F. Jackson, September 3, 57 years, Jaundice.

John C. Pillsbury, September 4, 47 years, Myocarditis, Lot 18, Range 5, Grove Cemetery.

Dorothy Mosman, September 12, 1 year, Mal nutrition, Lot 12, Range 18, Grove Cemetery.

Albert Gammans, September 12, 79 years, Cerebral Hemorrhage, Lot 7, Range 16, Grove Cemetery.

Judson G. Knight, September 17, 65 years, Cerebral Hemorrhage, Searsmont.

Bradford P. Gardner, September 20, 63 years, Acute Pancannitis, Lot 28, Range 6, Grove Cemetery.

Sarah A. Spencer, September 21, 68 years, Cancer, Lot 11, Range 28, Grove Cemetery.

Renworth F. Thomas, September 23, 2 months, Lot 15, Range 15, Grove Cemetery.

Jane Achorn, October 16, 75 years, Cerebral Apoplexy, Belmont.

Ralph G. Aldus, October 22, 9 years, Tuberculosis, Lot 7, Range 3, Grove Cemetery.

Caroline J. Pottle, October 25, 72 years, Penicious Anaemia, Searsmont.

Adelbert Knight, November 5, 72 years, Cerebral Hemorrhage, Lot 18, Range 21, Grove Cemetery.

Julia A. Varnum, November 10, 66 years, Diabetes, Lot 27, Range 4, Grove Cemetery.

Eunice M. Burgess, November 13, 4 months, Lot 2, Range 21, Grove Cemetery.

George E. Jackson, November 19, 45 years, Lot 13, Range 15, Grove Cemetery.

Mehitable N. Knowlton, November 24, 89 years, Pneumonia, Waldo

Roxanna C. McMahan, November 24, 75 years, Cerebral Hemorrhage Lot 25, North Wall Range, Grove Cemetery.

Mary Simmons, November 29, 75 years, Lot 16, Range 3, Grove Cemetery.

John Ward, December 5, Bronchial Pneumonia, Lot 10, Range 22, Grove Cemetery.

Helen Sheldon, December 5, Tuberculosis, Lot 11, new W. Wall, Grove Cemetery.

Harriet Curtis, November 13, 32 years, Tuberculosis, Lot 18, Range 10, Grove Cemetery.

Frank B. Knowlton, December 20, 79 years, Accident, Lot 5, Range 23, Grove Cemetery.

Chester B. Stephenson, December 31, 78 years, Organic Heart, In Tomb.

Minnie Wing, January 4, 18 years, Nephritis, In Tomb.

Mary White, January 6, 70 years, Acute Indigestion, In Tomb.

Fred Wardwell, January 9, 21 years, Brights Disease, In Tomb.

Evie M. Hall, January 9, 21 years, Typhoid Fever, In Tomb.

Addie S. Ladd, January 12, 47 years, Cerebral Hemorrhage, In Tomb.

William Burns, January 14, 87 years, Valvular Heart, In Tomb.

James G. Anderson, January 17, 84 years, Valvular Heart, In Tomb.

John Simmons, February 1, 80 years, Paralysis, West Belfast.

Abigail Hazeltine, February 9, 86 years, In Tomb.

David McKnight, March 15, Died in Barre, Vt., Lot 9, Range 30, Grove Cemetery.

Aurinda B. McCrillis, March 17, 81 year, Died in Exeter, Me., Lot 12, Range 4, Grove Cemetery.

J. Austin Clough, April 24, 56 years, Died in Lynn of Uraemia, Lot 2, Range 31, Grove Cemetery.

Wm. W. Cross, April 24, 48 years, Died in Boston of Tuberculosis, Lot 37, Range 28, Grove Cemetery.

Annie F. Boyle, June 12, Died in Augusta, Lot 9, Range 17, Grove Cemetery.

- Willard Stetson, July 4, 40 years, Died in Danvers, Lot 12, Range 14, Grove Cemetery.
- Frank H. Colley, July 9, 47 years, Died in Boston of Oedema, Lot 6, Range 11, Grove Cemetery.
- Elmer Baker, August 2, Died in Boston, Suicide, Lot 14, Range 17, Grove Cemetery.
- Henry T. Clark, September 7, 34 years, Died in Texas, August 15, of Tuberculosis.
- Florence G. Mutchler, September 10, 35 years, in Boston, Lot 50, Old Wall Range.
- E. Bertha Murphy, September 23, 54 years, Died in Bangor of Pneumonia, Lot 9, Range 30, Grove Cemetery.
- Vannie Havner, October 3, 34 years, Died in Portland of Cerebra Embolism, Lot 4, Range 14, Grove Cemetery.
- Annie M. Stevens, October 4, 82 years, Died in Bangor of Pneumonia, Lot 12, Range 14, Grove Cemetery.
- Mary J. Staples, October 17, 27 years, Died in Belmont of Pneumonia, South Belfast.
- Rachel D. Ells, November 11, 73 years, Died in Waldo, Lot 9, Range 18, Grove Cemetery.
- Margaret Sibley, November 17, 66 years, Died in Boston of Carcinoma, Lot 6, Range 22, Grove Cemetery.
- Annie A. Mitchell, November 27, 55 years, Died in Boston of Appendicitis, Lot 17, Old E. Wall.
- Hannah P. Holmes, December 14, 69 years, Died in Bar Harbor, City Point.
- Mary B. Doe, January 6, 73 years, Died in Rockland, Mass., of Chronic Nephritis, In Tomb.
- Horace A. Perkins, January 8, 43 years, Died in Boston of Accident, In Tomb.

Report of the City Solicitor

Belfast, March 2nd, 1914

To the Honorable Mayor, Aldermen and Common Council of the City of Belfast:

I hereby respectfully submit my report as City Solicitor for the current municipal year.

There is only one suit against the city now pending before the Supreme Judicial Court, which has been referred to Justice Warren C. Philbrook of the Supreme Judicial Court. The case of Richard P. Jenks, Receiver, Belfast Gas and Electric Co. vs. The City of Belfast. This suit is brought to collect for lights furnished in August and September, 1909, just before the present company took charge. The service was so defective that the city refused to pay the bill. There are sixty dollars due from the Rockland and Rockport Lime Co. to the City of Belfast for damages to lower bridge. Demand for payment of same has been made.

FRANKLIN A. GREER,

City Solicitor

Report of Inspector of Buildings

To the Mayor, Aldermen and Common Council of the City of Belfast:

Inspected buildings the past year as follows:

Elijah Ritchie two story frame dwelling, upper High St.

Charles Ludwick, two story frame dwelling, 2 Primrose St.

Everett Banks, two story frame dwelling, Waldo avenue.

Leroy Webber, one story frame dwelling, Bay View St.

Martin Ekquest, one story frame dwelling, Cottage St.

Harry Dickey, two story frame dwelling, Salmond St.

Will Crosby, two story frame dwelling, Robbins road.

Fred Robbins, one and one-half story frame dwelling.

Daniel McLeod, one and one-half story frame dwelling, Con-
don, St.

Giles Abbott, two story frame dwelling, Lincolnville Ave.

Lewis Brown, two story frame dwelling, Alto St.

Frame storehouse Coe-Mortimer Co., River Ave.

M. R. Knowlton, three two story frame dwellings, Water St.

Respectfully submitted,

DEXTER T. CLEMENTS,

Inspector of Buildings

Report of Secretary of Board of Health

To the Mayor, Alderman and Common Council of the City of Belfast:

The following report is respectfully submitted by the Board of Health for the year ending March, 1914.

| | |
|---------------------------------------|----|
| Number of complaints..... | 21 |
| Number corrected | 20 |
| Infectious diseases reported, namely, | |
| Smallpox..... | 26 |
| Scarlet fever..... | 4 |
| Diphtheria | 5 |
| Number places fumigated..... | 45 |

Unfortunately the city was infested with smallpox, and failing at first to get the support from some of the physicians and citizens, and owing to the light form of the disease many cases undoubtedly were never reported. This made it very difficult on part of the Board to check the disease, but after 148 days of hard work it was completely stamped out at very small expense to the city as compared to other places where the disease was present.

Respectfully submitted,

E. A. WILSON,
Secretary Board of Health

Report of City Physician

To the Mayor, Aldermen and Common Council of the City of Belfast.

There has been very little sickness among the city poor the past year.

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|---------------------------------|----|
| Number of patients | 8 |
| Acute cases | |
| Chronic cases..... | 3 |
| Patients from other towns | 3 |
| Visits | 28 |
| Office calls | 10 |
| Visits to Poor Farm..... | 13 |

Respectfully submitted,

E. A. WILSON,

City Physician

March, 1914

Report of Tax Collector

Belfast, Maine, March 2, 1914

To the Mayor, Aldermen and Common Council of the City of
Belfast,

I herewith submit my report as Tax Collector for 1913:

| | |
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| Amount collected and paid E. S. Pitcher, Treasurer..... | \$55 050 00 |
| Amount collected and deposited in Waldo Trust Co..... | 290 29 |
| Net amount collected..... | \$55 340 29 |
| Amount allowed for discount to August 4, 1913, as per former report | 1 065 91 |
| Gross amount collected..... | \$56 406 20 |

FRED W. BROWN,

Tax Collector

1913 Valuation

Valuation of Resident Real Estate \$2 051 960 00

Valuation of Non-Resident Real Estate 182 630 00

Total valuation of Real Estate \$2 234 590 00

Valuation of Resident Personal Estate \$800 836 00

Valuation of Non-Resident Personal Estate 17 635 00

Total valuation of Personal Estate \$818 471 00

Grand total valuation \$3 053 061 00

Rate \$20.00 per thousand dollars valuation.

Number of Polls taxed: 1450 at \$3.00 each.

Total cash tax \$65 411 22

Report of C. W. Frederick, Trustee Hayford Block Property

To the Honorable City Council :

I will append a statement of the present financial condition of the Trust Fund in connection with Hayford Block. This property is in my hands as Trustee and the proceeds are to be utilized when sold for a school building for the City of Belfast. The vouchers and receipts, all papers, bank book and insurance policies, substantiating this result are in my hands and are ready to be examined and audited whenever the City Council requests.

The Trustee has received no direct offer to purchase the property during the past year. In order to add to the selling value of this property and for the convenience and satisfaction of the present tenants much work of a necessary and improving nature has been done. I will name, among these things accomplished, the repainting of the front, the painting and decorating of the entrance hall-ways, the building and fitting-up of a retiring room for ladies, a great addition to the conveniences of the property, a large part of a new floor for the blacksmith shop on Beaver Street, the rebuilding of the platform in the rear, the repiping of a good portion of the building, these among many other minor changes and repairs. There has also been a good sum expended on the roof which seems now in excellent condition.

It isn't for the Trustee to criticize in any way the action of the City Council in placing a municipal tax on this property, because all men do not see the same action with the same eyes or judgment. But to many it appears an unjust burden to assess and collect a municipal tax on a property in trust and set aside for the City of Belfast, for a municipal purpose supposed to be of urgent necessity. I hope the governing powers will not feel to repeat this action another year in case the property remains as at present. But we will

hope the bnildings will be disposed of to advantage and the proceeds applied where they will do the most good for the purpose intended, during the coming year.

The financial standing of the Trust as of January 1st, 1914, is as follows:

January 1, 1914.

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|---|------------|
| Cash, Trust acct. City National Bank..... | \$761 01 |
| Cash in hands of Trustee..... | 254 18 |
| Rentals unpaid and due January 1..... | 562 71 |
| | <hr/> |
| | \$1 577 80 |

The bill of plumbing in the Opera House and a few other bills in connection with the repairs have not yet been presented for settlement. Several insurance premiums are due in January and February.

As showing the protection of the building from fire risks, will say there is at this date \$20,500, carried on the building, besides two policies protecting the plate-glass in the Church Street stores. Following is a list of the fire insurance:

| | |
|-------------------------------------|----------|
| No. British & Mercantile..... | \$6 000 |
| Manf. & Mercantile Mutual..... | 1 000 |
| Orient..... | 1 000 |
| Insurance Co. of North America..... | 2 500 |
| American Central..... | 1 500 |
| Aetna..... | 1 000 |
| Granite State..... | 1 500 |
| Liverpool & London & Globe..... | 4 500 |
| Fidelity-Phenix..... | 1 500 |
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| | \$20 500 |

Two policies covering the plate-glass in Mutual Plate-Glass Insurance Company of Connecticut.

Respectfully submitted,

CHARLES W. FREDERICK,

Trustee

Belfast, Maine

Salaries of City Officers

| | |
|---|-----------|
| Mayor | \$ 150 00 |
| City Clerk | 80 00 |
| City Treasurer | 100 00 |
| City Solicitor | 30 00 |
| City Physician | 30 90 |
| City Marshal | 100 00 |
| Assessors, for the three | 400 00 |
| Overseers of the Poor, for the three | 60 00 |
| Road Commissioner | 600 00 |
| Auditor | 75 00 |
| Superintendent of Schools (jointly with Searsport) | 1 500 00 |
| Truant Officer | 60 00 |
| Clerk of the Common Council | 25 00 |
| Two Night Police each | 730 00 |
| Inspector of Milk | 50 00 |
| Inspector of Buildings | 20 00 |
| Chief Engineer | 50 00 |
| Two Assistant Engineers, each and regular pay at fires... | 35 00 |

CITY GOVERNMENT

1914-1915

CITY COUNCIL

Mayor:

ROBERT F. DUNTON.

City Clerk:

Eben F. Littlefield.

Aldermen:

- Ward 1. Percy A. Bradford.
- Ward 2. Charles A. Harmon.
- Ward 3. Dexter T. Clements.
- Ward 4. Fred A. Holmes.
- Ward 5. Ralph W. Pattershall.

Common Councilmen:

Clyde B. Holmes, Pres., Addison F. Pendleton, Clerk.

- Ward 1. Addison F. Pendleton, Frank H. Keene.
- Ward 2. Clyde B. Holmes, Frank E. Grady.
- Ward 3. Herbert J. Kimball, Fred G. Spinney.
- Ward 4. Leslie A. Payson, Ralph U. Russ.
- Ward 5. Alvin M. Clark, T. S. Thompson.

WARD OFFICERS.

Wardens.

Ward 1, Frank G. Mixer; 2, Alton E. Ridley; 3, Harvey H. Smalley; 4, John W. Small; 5, Leroy E. Robbins.

Ward Clerks.

Ward 1, Walter J. Clifford; 2, Frank I. Wilson; 3, Robert C. Logan; 4, Ralph H. Cunningham; 5, N. E. Burgin.

CITY OFFICERS.

Mayor, Robert F. Dunton.
City Clerk, Eben F. Littlefield.
City Treasurer, Elbridge S. Pitcher.
Judge of Police Court, Wayland Knowlton.
City Solicitor, Eben F. Littlefield.
City Physician, E. A. Wilson.
Road Commissioner, James H. Post.
Chief Engineer, Stephen S. L. Shute.
City Engineer, A. D. Hayes.
City Marshal, Percy S. Edgecomb.
Collector of Taxes, S. A. Parker.
Auditor, W. G. Hazeltine.
Harbor Master, Francis X. Pendleton.
Port Warden, Henry D. Gilman.
Truant Officer, Percy S. Edgecomb.
Inspector of Buildings, George Weymouth.
Inspector of Milk, Giles G. Abbott.
Assistant Engineers, Ira T. Clough, Eugene L. Cook.
Superintendent of Grove Cemetery, James F. Fernald.

ASSESSORS.

Maurice W. Lord, Chairman for 1 year.
William H. Bray for 3 years.
James F. Sheldon for 2 years.

OVERSEERS OF THE POOR.

Frank G. Mixer, Chairman; Giles G. Abbott, W. L. Hall.

BOARD OF HEALTH.

E. A. Wilson, Health Officer, Chairman, for 1 year; Marcellus R. Knowlton for 2 years; Carl H. Stevens for 3 years.

TRUSTEES OF CEMETERIES.

Charles F. Swift, Chairman; Charles R. Coombs, Charles B. Eaton.

BOARD OF REGISTRATION.

Austin W. Keating, Chairman; Elmer B. Decrow, L. L. Robbins.

Constables, Ward 1, John O. Black; 2, Percy S. Edgecomb; 3, Elijah Ritchie; 4, Roscoe L. Rolerson; 5, R. M. Robbins.

Policemen, E. S. Whitehead, Howard W. Saulsbury, Night Watch; J. L. Staples, W. H. Staples, H. A. Shaw, Clair L. Stevens, Walter J. Clifford, Luther W. Hammons, Leslie H. Elms, Alton E. Ridley, Alvin L. Howard, John M. Crosby, J. A. Wood, Walter Juan, Samuel R. Stevens and Henry Wentworth.

Surveyors of Lumber, Herbert L. Stevens, J. C. Durham, Sanford Howard, William K. Keene, Byron B. Greenlaw, Fred A. Holmes, Ralph L. Cooper, Joseph E. Thombs, Albert L. Newcomb, Roscoe E. Beckwith, J. W. Ferguson, A. E. Brackett, H. Fair Holmes, Clyde B. Holmes, L. B. Roberts, and A. L. Howard.

Weighers of Coal and Hay, Herbert L. Stevens, C. S. Bickford, Herbert E. Bradman, John A. Gilmore, Ralph Mosher, Robert H. Patterson, A. D. Hayes, Jesse L. Staples, R. H. Cunningham, George B. Salter, V. A. Simmons, John Waterman, W. H. Widdefield, C. B. Holmes and K. B. Craig.

Measurers of Grain and Salt, Herbert L. Stevens, C. S. Bickford, Herbert E. Bradman, John A. Gilmore, Ralph H. Mosher, Walter B. Dutch, V. L. Hall.

Measurers of Wood and Bark, Herbert L. Stevens, Albert L. Newcomb, Fred A. Holmes, C. S. Bickford, Roscoe E. Beckwith, John W. Ferguson, H. Fair Holmes, Clyde B. Holmes, Ralph H. Mosher, L. B. Roberts, W. H. Widdefield, Merle Whitcomb, V. A. Simmons and K. B. Craig.

Cullers of Hoops and Staves, Fred A. Holmes, Walter G. Hatch, Ralph H. Mosher, Rufus Dyer, A. A. Dailey.

Fence Viewers, Emery O. Pendleton, George F. Mayhew, W. A. Monroe.

Sealer of Weights and Measures, Percy S. Edgecomb.

Standing Committees of the City Council.

Belfast, Me., March 17, 1914.

To the Board of Aldermen and Common Council:

Gentlemen:

I make the following appointments for the Joint Standing Committees of the City Council:

Finance, Accounts and Claims.

Alderman Harmon

Councilmen Holmes and Pendleton

Public Schools.

Alderman Bradford

Councilmen Russ and Keene

Highways and Bridges

Alderman Holmes

Councilmen Payson and Thompson

Fire Department and City Property.

Alderman Holmes

Councilmen Keene and Spinney

Sidewalks.

Alderman Clements

Councilmen Holmes and Grady

Cemeteries.

Alderman Pattershall

Councilmen Russ and Kimball

By-Laws and Police Regulations.

Alderman Pattershall

Councilmen Thompson and Kimball

Enrolled Ordinances.

Alderman Harmon

Councilmen Payson and Clark

Lights.

Alderman Bradford

Councilmen Grady and Spinney

Sewers.

Aldermen Clements

Councilmen Pendleton and Clark

State Pensions.

Alderman Harmon, Bradford and Pattershall

ROBERT F. DUNTON, Mayor

Public Laws of 1907

CHAPTER 166.

An Act for the better collection of Taxes.

BE IT ENACTED BY THE SENATE AND HOUSE OF REPRESENTATIVES IN LEGISLATURE ASSEMBLED, as follows :

That on and after January first, nineteen hundred and eight, all municipal officers of cities and towns in making out their yearly report shall cause to be printed in said report the names and amounts of all delinquent tax payers which have been committed to the treasurer or collector for collection.

The failure for non-performance of this duty shall be not less than five dollars nor more than twenty-five dollars.

UNCOLLECTED TAXES FOR 1907

1907

| | |
|-------------------------|--------|
| Elbridge M. Thomas..... | \$3 00 |
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1908

| | |
|-----------------------------|------|
| Sides, George A. heirs..... | 3 86 |
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1909

| | |
|-------------------------|--------|
| Armstrong, Newell | \$3 00 |
| Bennett, Sidney E..... | 3 00 |
| Casey, William P..... | 3 00 |

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|---------------------------|-------|
| Clement, Josiah F..... | 1 00 |
| Dunton, George M | 3 00 |
| French, Elmer S | 3 00 |
| Gray, Guy A | 3 00 |
| Gross, Robert..... | 3 00 |
| Holmes, Fannie..... | 3 28 |
| Kimball, William H..... | 1 50 |
| Logan, Charles A..... | 8 70 |
| Marden, Will S..... | 3 00 |
| Mason, William R..... | 3 00 |
| Mathews, Nathaniel..... | 3 00 |
| Merrithew, Harry L | 3 00 |
| Paige, George D | 3 00 |
| Patterson, Ishmael E..... | 3 00 |
| Richards, Walter H..... | 23 85 |
| Robinson, William L..... | 3 00 |
| Ryan, George L..... | 5 38 |
| Shute, Hartford..... | 6 90 |
| Stevens, Franklin J..... | 3 00 |
| Stover, Charles B. | 3 00 |
| Thomas, Russell..... | 3 00 |
| Thomas, Elbridge M..... | 2 85 |
| Wall, William B | 3 00 |
| Ward, John E | 3 00 |
| Wing, James E | 3 00 |
| Worthing, Chester C. | 3 06 |

1910

| | |
|--------------------------|--------|
| Frank L. Bartlett..... | \$3 00 |
| James B. Carrol..... | 50 |
| Daniel Carter..... | 3 00 |
| Michael Casey heirs..... | 5 70 |
| Wm. P. Casey..... | 3 00 |
| Ora Herbert Cook..... | 3 00 |
| Ray Cunningham..... | 50 |
| Thomas F. Davis | 2 00 |
| Michael Duffey..... | 3 00 |

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|-----------------------------------|-------|
| Roscoe M. Ellis | 91 |
| Fogg & Coombs | 6 40 |
| Millard F. French | 3 00 |
| Leslie C. Follett | 13 93 |
| B. B. Garey | 2 00 |
| Charles Gray | 3 00 |
| Samuel Gonyer | 7 60 |
| Hanson heirs | 6 65 |
| Hanson, E. F. | 4 90 |
| Hanson, Herbert F. | 3 00 |
| Herrick, Laura E. | 9 50 |
| Holmes, Eben | 13 11 |
| Jackson, Alphonzo | 3 00 |
| Johnson, Andrew W. | 80 |
| Johnson, Fred D. | 1 82 |
| Keene, Wm. H. | 5 95 |
| Ladd David | 14 88 |
| Latham, Royal G. | 3 00 |
| Mason, Wm. R. | 3 00 |
| Mendall, Ralph H. | 1 50 |
| Moody, Mrs. Fred | 6 60 |
| Pitcher, E. S. | 47 27 |
| Pitcher, Gladys | 1 71 |
| Ray, Harvard B. | 3 00 |
| Richards, W. H. | 28 85 |
| Robbins, Alonzo H. | 4 14 |
| Robbins, James W. | 3 00 |
| Roberts, Leslie B. | 3 71 |
| Robbins, Albert E. | 1 00 |
| Russ, Ralph U. | 3 00 |
| Ryan, George L. | 5 38 |
| Ryder, Eph. D. | 40 |
| Sanborn, Alvenas M. | 48 |
| Sanborn, Frank L. | 3 00 |
| Shute, Hartford | 3 38 |
| Hartford and Tryphosa Shute | 17 10 |
| Staples, Isaac E. | 4 14 |

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|---------------------------|-------|
| Stevens, Franklin J..... | 7 75 |
| Stover, Charles B..... | 3 00 |
| Thomas, Alton..... | 38 |
| Thomas, Elbridge M..... | 2 00 |
| Thorndike, Charles B..... | 1 69 |
| Tower, Martin L..... | 3 00 |
| Trundy, Chas. S..... | 1 00 |
| Walker, Levi..... | 1 90 |
| Wentworth, Orrin L..... | 3 00 |
| Wentworth, Wm. S..... | 1 50 |
| Whitney, Arthur C..... | 3 00 |
| Wing, James E..... | 3 00 |
| Wright, Evie M..... | 10 40 |
| Peters, Maurice..... | 3 00 |
| Smith, Frank L..... | 3 00 |
| West, Wm. L..... | 3 00 |
| Pendleton, Fields S..... | 18 05 |

1911

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|------------------------|------|
| Abbott, Ellison..... | 3 00 |
| Bartlett, Frank L..... | 3 00 |
| Bickford, Harold..... | 3 00 |
| Burgess, John A..... | 3 50 |
| Burgin, N. E..... | 1 00 |
| Carroll, James F..... | 3 00 |
| Michael Duffy..... | 3 00 |
| Ellis, Clifton P..... | 3 00 |
| Gray, Harvey H..... | 3 00 |
| William Hall..... | 3 00 |
| Amos T. Harvey..... | 3 00 |
| Daniel E. Hill..... | 3 00 |
| Fred D. Johnson..... | 50 |
| Kennedy, Thomas..... | 3 00 |
| Knight, Herbert..... | 2 30 |
| Latham, Royal G..... | 3 00 |
| Moore, Llewellyn..... | 3 00 |
| Myrick, Doff B..... | 3 00 |

UNCOLLECTED TAXES

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| | |
|-----------------------------|-------|
| Horace E. Nickerson..... | 3 00 |
| Pillsbury, Katherine C..... | 6 00 |
| Rand, Horace..... | 3 00 |
| Richards, Walter H..... | 20 00 |
| Robbins, Arthur..... | 3 00 |
| Ryan, George L..... | 2 50 |
| Hartford Shute et al..... | 18 00 |
| Smith, Bert S..... | 1 40 |
| Stephenson, Wm. E..... | 3 00 |
| Alton Thomas..... | 40 |
| Elbridge M. Thomas..... | 3 00 |
| George O. Trull..... | 3 00 |
| Levi Walker..... | 2 00 |
| Wall, Wm. B..... | 3 00 |
| George H. Wing..... | 3 00 |
| George T. Carter..... | 3 00 |
| Walter L. Carter..... | 3 00 |

1912

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|--------------------------|--------|
| Abbott, Ellison..... | \$3 00 |
| Armstrong, Newell S..... | 3 00 |
| Bartlett, Frank L..... | 3 00 |
| Bryant, Mrs. Hugh W..... | 5 79 |
| Burgin, Nahum E..... | 3 00 |
| Carroll, James F..... | 3 00 |
| Carter, Russell C..... | 3 00 |
| Carter, George H..... | 3 00 |
| Carter, Walter L..... | 3 00 |
| Colby, Harry E..... | 3 00 |
| Collins, Ralph S..... | 3 00 |
| Conner, Wallace..... | 3 00 |
| Coombs, James..... | 9 65 |
| Coombs, Leroy A..... | 42 46 |
| Decrow, Thomas L..... | 3 00 |
| Dodge, Fred E..... | 3 00 |
| Dow, Wm. Wallace..... | 3 00 |
| Duffee, Michael J..... | 3 00 |

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|-----------------------|-------|
| Dunbar, Ora F | 3 00 |
| Dunton, James A. | 97 |
| Dyer, Walter F. | 3 00 |
| Eager, Archie | 3 00 |
| Fogg, Leroy | 3 00 |
| Forbes, George H. | 3 00 |
| Foust, Harvey N. | 1 00 |
| Gray, Bertha F. | 10 62 |
| Gray, Guy A. | 3 00 |
| Gray, Harvey H. | 3 00 |
| Gray, Perlle M. | 3 00 |
| Gray, Walter M. | 3 00 |
| Gray, Mrs. George M. | 3 86 |
| Grotton, Carl J. | 3 00 |
| Hamilton, William | 3 00 |
| Hamlin, Burton R. | 5 41 |
| Harvey, Amos T. | 3 00 |
| Hayes, Augustus D. | 7 83 |
| Hayford, Harold | 3 00 |
| Heath, Howard W. | 3 00 |
| Herrick, Laura | 5 65 |
| Ernest H. Hervey | 3 00 |
| Hill, Montford S. | 4 93 |
| Hill, Daniel E. | 3 00 |
| Holmes, Eben | 12 65 |
| Holmes, Fannie | 4 83 |
| Holmes, Walter | 3 00 |
| Jackson, Alphonso W. | 3 00 |
| Johnson, Fred D. | 3 00 |
| Kennedy, Thomas | 3 00 |
| Kimball, William H. | 1 50 |
| Ladd, Hiram A. | 3 00 |
| Linton, Kenneth | 3 00 |
| Little, Edriel B. | 3 00 |
| Marriner, Albert A. | 5 51 |
| Marshall, Augustus F. | 3 00 |
| Mason, Isaac | 7 83 |

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| George L. McCorrison | 1 20 |
| Mendall, Ralph H. | 3 00 |
| Moore, Samuel W. | 3 00 |
| Moore, Llewellyn P. | 3 00 |
| Morse, William A. | 4 93 |
| Mosher, Benjamin R. | 3 00 |
| Nash, Leslie F. | 5 90 |
| Patterson, Herman | 3 00 |
| Patterson, Ishmael E. | 3 00 |
| Pendleton, George L. | 3 00 |
| Pitcher, Philemon W. | 3 00 |
| Rand, Horace E. | 3 00 |
| Randall, James A. | 3 00 |
| Richards, Walter H. | 11 69 |
| Robinson, Albert E. | 3 00 |
| Robinson, Wm. L. | 1 00 |
| Russell, George | 3 00 |
| George L. Ryan | 5 41 |
| Shaw, Reuben L. | 3 00 |
| Shute, Hartford and Tryphosa Erskine | 17 37 |
| Simpson, Amos F. | 4 93 |
| Smith, Ralph E. | 3 00 |
| Smith, William | 3 58 |
| Staples, Clifton | 3 00 |
| Stephenson, Charles W. | 3 00 |
| Stevens, Ansel F. | 4 65 |
| Stevens, Herbert L. 2nd | 3 29 |
| Stevens, Alvin P. | 3 00 |
| Stover, Chas. B. | 3 97 |
| Sweetser, Henry A. | 3 00 |
| Thomas, Elbridge M. | 3 00 |
| Thomas, Alton | 3 00 |
| Thomas, Fred W. | 3 00 |
| Tibbetts, George B. | 3 00 |
| Walker, Charles B. | 3 00 |
| Walker, Levi | 4 05 |

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| Wall, William B. | 3 00 |
| Whiting, Frank O. | 3 00 |
| Whitehead, William C. | 3 00 |
| Wilband, Clifford B. | 12 17 |
| Wing, George H. | 3 00 |
| Wing, C. L. | 1 93 |
| Wood, George | 3 00 |
| Woods, Charles H. | 3 00 |
| Milford York | 3 00 |
| Young, Maynard | 3 00 |

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| Abbott, Elison | \$3 00 |
| Aldus, Raymond S. | 3 00 |
| Aldus, Eugene | 3 70 |
| Allen, Frank J. | 3 00 |
| Anderson, Thomas | 3 00 |
| Armstrong, Newell S. | 3 00 |
| Bagley, George E. | 3 00 |
| Bailey, Charley H. | 3 00 |
| Baker, Harry W. | 3 00 |
| Bartlett, Frank L. | 3 00 |
| Black, Laughlin | 3 00 |
| Blake, Joseph L. | 3 00 |
| Bonefant, William J. | 3 00 |
| Bowden, Harold | 3 00 |
| Bowen, Walter R. | 3 00 |
| Bowen, Otis G. | 3 00 |
| Brassey-Brierly, Edward | 3 00 |
| Brickley, Charles H. | 3 00 |
| Brier, Charles T. | 3 00 |
| Brophy, Peter | 3 00 |
| Bryant, Hugh W. | 3 00 |
| Bryant, Charles | 3 00 |
| Burgess, Everett | 11 50 |
| Burgin, Nahum E. | 3 00 |

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| Burgin, Susan E. | 3 50 |
| Carroll, Charles W. | 3 00 |
| Carter, Russell C. | 3 00 |
| Carter, George H. | 3 00 |
| Carter, Walter L. | 3 00 |
| Casey, Nora | 6 00 |
| Casey, Wm. P. | 3 00 |
| Chenery, Horace | 69 90 |
| Anne M. Chenery heirs | 136 00 |
| Clark, Walter H. | 3 00 |
| Clark, Lincoln L. | 3 00 |
| Clark, George H. | 4 00 |
| Clements, Harry A. | 3 00 |
| Clements, J. Fred | 3 00 |
| Colby, Frank | 3 00 |
| Collins, Ralph S. | 3 00 |
| Condon, Harold L. | 3 00 |
| Condon, Joshua B. | 3 00 |
| Conner, Wallace | 3 00 |
| Coombs, Leroy A. | 47 00 |
| Cottrell, Harry A. | 3 00 |
| Cross, Alvenus L. | 3 00 |
| Cunningham, Percy L. | 3 00 |
| Curtis, Hiram H. | 3 00 |
| Darby, Joseph H. | 3 00 |
| Davis, Edward H. | 3 00 |
| Davis, William | 3 00 |
| Davis, Samuel W. | 3 00 |
| Decrow, Thomas L. | 3 00 |
| Dickey, Melvin O. | 3 00 |
| Dickey, Custer G. | 29 00 |
| Dodge, Bert E. | 3 00 |
| Dow, Gertrude | 3 00 |
| Dow, Wallace | 3 00 |
| Duffy, Michael J. | 3 00 |
| Dunbar, Joseph | 3 00 |
| Dunbar, Ora F. | 3 00 |

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| Cunton, James A. | 4 00 |
| Dwelley, George | 3 00 |
| Dyer, John | 3 00 |
| Eager, Archie P. J. | 3 00 |
| Elwell, Herbert H. | 3 00 |
| Elwell, Chas. E. | 3 00 |
| Enmerton, Raymond | 3 00 |
| Everett, Alfred | 3 00 |
| Fish, Walter | 3 00 |
| Fish, Harvey | 3 00 |
| Flagg, Walter F. | 9 90 |
| Flagg, Franklin B. | 1 00 |
| Foster-Estabrooks Co. | 30 00 |
| Bert A. Fowles, | 3 00 |
| Faust, Harvey N. | 3 00 |
| Frenchboro Land & Fish Co. | 114 00 |
| Garey, Benj. B. | 3 00 |
| Getchell, Charles | 3 00 |
| Getchell, George | 3 00 |
| Gilmore, Syreno P. | 3 90 |
| Grant, Alice A. | 6 00 |
| Grant, Joseph H. | 3 00 |
| Gray, Francis L. | 3 00 |
| Gray, Bertha F. | 11 00 |
| Gray, Guy A. | 3 00 |
| Gray, George E. | 3 00 |
| Gray, Llewellyn W. | 3 00 |
| Gray, Perley R. | 3 00 |
| Gray, Walter A. | 3 00 |
| Gray, William H. | 3 10 |
| Gross, Robert C. | 3 00 |
| Gross, Ralph | 3 00 |
| Grotton, Lawrence F. | 3 00 |
| Grotton, Carl J. | 3 00 |
| Grotton, George J. | 3 00 |
| Guilford, Charles | 3 00 |
| Hall, Charles | 9 00 |

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| Hall, Hollis M. | 3 00 |
| Hamilton, William | 3 00 |
| Hanson, Elvin E. | 3 00 |
| Hart, Byron A. | 40 |
| Hart, Everett M. | 3 00 |
| Hart, Maurice D. | 3 00 |
| Hartshorn, Elmer | 6 00 |
| Harvey, Alverdo | 3 00 |
| Harvey, William N. | 3 00 |
| Harvey, Percy | 3 00 |
| Harvey, Amos T. | 3 00 |
| Harvey, Bert | 3 00 |
| Hasson, Arthur W. | 3 40 |
| Hatch, Edwin | 3 00 |
| Hayes, A. D. and Leila A. | 3 00 |
| Hayes, Augustus D. | 7 00 |
| Heath, Howard W. | 3 00 |
| Herrick, George, estate | 24 00 |
| Herrick, Laura E. | 10 00 |
| Hibbard, George R. | 3 00 |
| Higginbotham, Duncan | 3 00 |
| Hill, James D. | 4 80 |
| Hill, Horatio | 3 00 |
| Hill, Daniel E. | 3 00 |
| Hill, Frank E. | 3 00 |
| Hogan, John H. heirs | 11 00 |
| Holmes, Eben | 13 00 |
| Holmes, Fannie | 5 50 |
| Holmes, Walter H. | 3 00 |
| Hopkins, George D. | 3 00 |
| Hopkins, Winfield R. | 3 00 |
| Ingersoll, Irving A. | 3 00 |
| Jackson, Ralph S. | 3 00 |
| Jackson, Ralph C. | 3 00 |
| Jackson, Alphonso W..... | 3 00 |
| Jackson, Leroy..... | 3 00 |
| Roberts, Frank G..... | 3 00 |

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| Jenney, Benjamin..... | 3 00 |
| Johnson, Fred D..... | 3 00 |
| Keene, Ervin L..... | 3 00 |
| Keene, Leonard C..... | 3 00 |
| Kendall, Harry W. B..... | 3 00 |
| Kennedy, Thomas..... | 3 00 |
| Kenney, Joseph D..... | 3 00 |
| Kimball, William H..... | 3 00 |
| Kimball, William F..... | 3 00 |
| Knowlton, Benj..... | 3 00 |
| Knowlton, Fred..... | 4 50 |
| Knox, Charles F..... | 3 40 |
| Knox, H. J..... | 3 00 |
| Knox, Mabel H..... | 4 00 |
| Ladd, Hiram A..... | 3 00 |
| Laharty, Thomas..... | 3 00 |
| Lear, Erving C..... | 5 00 |
| Little, Edriel B..... | 3 00 |
| Little, Frank..... | 2 50 |
| Marden, Alvin J..... | 3 00 |
| Marden, Guy C..... | 3 00 |
| Marr, Henry..... | 3 00 |
| Marriner, Albert A..... | 5 50 |
| Marshall, Augustus F..... | 3 00 |
| Mason, Isaac..... | 4 00 |
| Mason, William R..... | 3 00 |
| Mathews, Lucy A. heirs..... | 8 00 |
| McLoud, Daniel A..... | 3 00 |
| Ralph H. Mendall..... | 3 00 |
| Seth L. Merchant..... | 3 00 |
| Ernest S. Merchant..... | 3 00 |
| George G. Miller..... | 3 00 |
| Frank E. Miller..... | 3 00 |
| Fred L. Mitchell..... | 3 00 |
| Llewellyn P. Moore..... | 3 00 |
| William A. Morse..... | 5 00 |
| Evelyn Mudgett..... | 16 00 |
| Albert I. Mudgett..... | 3 00 |

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| Jesse S. Murch..... | 3 00 |
| Leslie F. Nash..... | 6 00 |
| James Nelson..... | 3 00 |
| Albert L. Newcomb..... | 3 00 |
| Mellen A. Nevens..... | 3 00 |
| Alonzo T. Nickerson..... | 4 20 |
| George W. Nickerson heirs..... | 2 00 |
| Nahum M. Nickerson..... | 5 00 |
| Thomas C. Nickerson heirs..... | 13 33 |
| Sears Nickerson heirs..... | 1 50 |
| John O'Connell..... | 3 00 |
| Chas. J. O'Conner..... | 3 00 |
| Oliver..... | 3 00 |
| George D. Page..... | 3 00 |
| Harry Partridge..... | 3 00 |
| Herman A. Patterson..... | 3 00 |
| Ishmael E. Patterson..... | 3 00 |
| Roy A. Paul..... | 3 00 |
| George L. Pendleton..... | 3 00 |
| Philemon W. Pitcher..... | 3 00 |
| Jas. H. Pumroy..... | 3 00 |
| Wm. H. Quimby..... | 95 00 |
| Prescott, Frank W..... | 3 00 |
| Rand, Horace E..... | 3 00 |
| Rayner, Edward..... | 3 00 |
| Randall, James..... | 3 00 |
| Randall, James A..... | 3 00 |
| Rich, Burleigh..... | 3 00 |
| Richards, Walter H..... | 6 00 |
| Richards, Frank H..... | 3 00 |
| Richards, Harold A..... | 3 00 |
| Robbins, John..... | 3 00 |
| Robbins, James..... | 3 00 |
| Robbins, Ephraim, heirs..... | 2 00 |
| Robbins, Leslie..... | 3 00 |
| Robbins, Alonzo H..... | 4 80 |
| Robbins, Francis..... | 3 00 |
| Robbins, Leland W..... | 6 50 |

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| Roberts, Blanchard C..... | 3 00 |
| Roberts, Claude B..... | 3 00 |
| Robinson, Albert E..... | 3 00 |
| Robinson, Wm. L..... | 3 00 |
| Robinson, Harold B..... | 3 00 |
| Roche, Richard P..... | 3 00 |
| Roche, Homer..... | 3 00 |
| Ross, Joseph..... | 3 00 |
| Russell, George..... | 3 00 |
| Ryan, Wm. A..... | 1 90 |
| Sargent, Frank G..... | 3 00 |
| Seekins, Mary J. | 2 00 |
| Seekins, Charles W..... | 3 00 |
| Shaw, Reuben L..... | 3 00 |
| Sheldon, Burleigh..... | 3 00 |
| Shuman, Clarence H..... | 3 00 |
| Shute, Stephen S. L..... | 73 00 |
| Shute, Hartford and Tryphosa..... | 18 00 |
| Simpson, Amos F..... | 5 00 |
| Small, Walter M.: | 3 00 |
| Small, Frank E..... | 3 00 |
| Smith, Jesse S..... | 3 00 |
| Smith, Ralph E..... | 3 00 |
| Smith, William..... | 3 00 |
| Smith, Ernest..... | 4 90 |
| Smith, Bert S..... | 3 40 |
| Smith, Maitland B..... | 5 71 |
| Snow, Ralph A..... | 3 00 |
| Snow, J. P..... | 3 00 |
| Snyder, Eli E..... | 3 00 |
| Snyder, Lewis W..... | 3 00 |
| Staples, Isaac E..... | 3 88 |
| Staples, Walter D..... | 3 00 |
| Staples, Clifton..... | 3 00 |
| Staples, Melvin..... | 3 00 |
| Stephenson, Chas. W..... | 3 40 |
| Stephenson, Clarence..... | 3 00 |
| Stevens, Ansel F..... | 10 00 |

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| Stevens, Alvin P..... | 3 00 |
| Stiles, Henry..... | 3 00 |
| Stimpson, Elmer B..... | 3 00 |
| Stover, Walter H..... | 3 00 |
| Stover, Benj. estate..... | 2 00 |
| Stover, G. Vernon..... | 3 00 |
| Sweetser, Henry A..... | 3 00 |
| Sylvester, Merle..... | 3 00 |
| Tenney, Charles W..... | 3 00 |
| Thomas, Wm. Earl..... | 4 00 |
| Thomas, Elbridge M..... | 3 00 |
| Thomas, Alton..... | 3 00 |
| Thompson, Otto..... | 3 00 |
| Thompson, Ephraim H..... | 3 00 |
| Thorndike, Charles B..... | 3 00 |
| Thurston, Wm. H..... | 3 00 |
| Tibbetts, George B..... | 3 00 |
| Trundy, Lewis H..... | 3 00 |
| Trundy, Charles S..... | 1 00 |
| Walker, Chas. B..... | 3 00 |
| Walker, Levi..... | 3 40 |
| Walker, Levi Jr..... | 6 50 |
| Warren, Judson L..... | 3 00 |
| Washburn, Judson R..... | 3 00 |
| Watt, William F..... | 3 00 |
| Webber, Martin..... | 3 00 |
| Welch, Charles M..... | 3 00 |
| Whiting, Frank O..... | 3 00 |
| Whitney, Chester A..... | 2 00 |
| Whitehead, William C..... | 3 00 |
| Willey, George K..... | 3 00 |
| Winchester, M. P..... | 3 00 |
| Wing, Geo. H..... | 3 00 |
| Wingate, Burton A..... | 3 00 |
| Wood, Ralph M..... | 3 00 |
| Woods, Charles H..... | 5 40 |
| Wording, Ralph W..... | 3 00 |

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| Wright, Constantine L..... | 23 00 |
| Young, Charles F..... | 3 00 |
| Young, Maynard..... | 3 00 |
| Freeman, Sherman | 8 00 |
| Gentner, Wm. A..... | 3 50 |
| Gilmore, Melvin..... | 16 00 |
| Nealley, John B..... | 1 50 |
| Shaw, Wm. F..... | 5 00 |
| Stoddard, Julia M..... | 6 00 |

